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We will offer the following

LOW PRICES:

20 Dozen Silk Mitts, worth 30c, our price 20c.
50 Dozen Fast Black Hose at 10c a pair.
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BEFORE REMOVAL

We will offer Men's and Boys' Clothing at the very lowest prices. Our buyer leaves for New York tonight and we will be ready to open with the finest and best selected line of Men's and Boys' Clothing and Furnishings, Sept. 1.

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TALK WITH TOM REED.

What the Statesman Said to a Reporter.

THE NEW RULES A GREAT SUCCESS

Which He Hopes the Democracy Will Repeat at the Coming Session of Congress—Filibustering Something That Has Outlived Its Utility and Is Only an Abuse Now—Prefers Mills for Speaker and Promises a Lively Time—Thinks Campbell a Good Man to Watch—That Presidential Letter.

NEW YORK Aug 17—An authorized interview with ex-Speaker Thomas B Reed is printed in The World, of which the following is a part

"No, sir, we never lost a trick in the whole game," said Thomas B Reed slapping his chubby hands upon the arms of the big arm chair in which he sat, or rather sprawled after the manner of Talleyrand in the well known picture 'Not a trick Play whist?"

"Yes"

"Then you understand what it means to take the thirteen tricks Well that s what we did. Nothing got away from us"

Development of Filibustering

"Do you expect to see the next speaker play the same game?"

"I hope so If the game of politics is worth joining that all it should be played with the best skill and judgment that one possesses. Politics? It's business—all business Filibustering in 1880 may have been all right, but in 1890 it had developed into absolute obstruction Such methods always outgrow the intent and purpose for which they were created The slightest advance beyond or invasion of vested or constitutional rights is a dangerous step not in itself, perhaps but because of what it may lead to This very language was applied to me time and again, I know

Will Make Things Interesting

"But, God bless me, I was only trying to hold down a rather turbulent minority to the bedrock of parliamentary forms from which similarly situated minorities had been allowed to slip in the past I was simply 'holdin' 'er nose ag n the shore,' is the metaphor isn t too strained and I did it Now, I say, let Crisp or McMillin or Mills do the same thing If the speaker has the sand he will make us walk the chalk line The last election spoke with considerable vigor regarding some matters, and the minority ought to hear the echo But we will make things interesting for them, nevertheless"

His Opinion of Mills and Crisp

"Whom of these men would you prefer?'

'I am on good terms with all of them Personally, without any disrespect to other candidates, I would be glad to have Mills the next speaker He has capacity for the place is a good parliamentarian, and, as I said before a sincere and frank antagonist Crisp I have always found a quick, ready man Last session when I was in the speaker's chair he quoted me against myself, and did it very cleverly He was O K It was good politics'

Not Doing Any Parrying

"How did you parry the thrust?

"Parry nothing," exclaimed the ex speaker, laughing "I never said a word I couldn't afford, officially, to notice a remark made by one Reed, a member from Maine in a previous session of congress Don't you see? I treated the matter as I would have done had another man s language in a previous congress been quoted in his absence But I could have answered it, and can yet if I am ever asked Yes looks like a lively session ahead'

The Dangerous Man in 1893

"What of the Democratic situation?' Mr Reed was asked

"There is no situation it awaits the fate of Governor Campbell in Ohio," was the reply

'Is it as bad as that?

'The unknown man who comes to the front just before the convention meets is always dangerous No time is afforded to look up his record or to invent one for him"

You enjoyed your trip abroad?

"Very much indeed I didn't try to do too much I simply stuck to England Holland, France and Italy There's lots of Europe for me to see yet

THAT HARRISON LETTER

The President Says It Will Not Be Written—An Alleged Understanding

CAPE MAY N J, Aug 17—President Harrison, through Private Secretary Halford, denies the story that he is about to declare over his own signature that he will refuse to be a candidate for renomination The president replied in his usual manner that he would not discuss newspaper rumors The vigor with which Mr Harrison's answer was given made it quite apparent that no such letter will be written Mr Harrison's friends say that while the president is not a candidate in the sense of chasing a nomination he desires a renomination

A Tacit Agreement with Blaine

The president has not written any letter declining to permit his name to come before the national convention, but it is said that there exists an implied understanding between Mr Harrison and Secretary Blaine to the effect that one of them will decline in advance should the other develop the greater strength This is simply a tacit agreement existing only in the inferential sense but it seems to be an agreement nevertheless All of Mr Harrison's friends seen lately seem confident of his renomination.

A Distinguished Trio

GLEN HOUSE N H, Aug 17—Saturday night the following distinguished guests arrived at the Glen House United States Senator N. W Aldrich of Rhode Island, the Hon Thomas B Reed of Maine and United States Senator J G Carlisle, of Kentucky Mr Carlisle and Mr Reed will remain here some time with their families

Died Suddenly While Preaching.

LONDON, Aug 17—Considerable excitement was created in Ireland yesterday by the sudden death of Canon Carleton while preaching in the Kilkenny cathedral. The reverend gentleman had progressed to some considerable extent with his sermon when he was suddenly seen to reel and fall. Several persons rushed to his assistance but he passed away almost instantly.

Six Hundred Clerks Out of Work.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17—The services of 600 clerks in the census office were dispensed with Saturday The night work has been discontinued

A TALK WITH SECRETARY FOSTER

Comment on Bond Extension—Condition of the National Treasury.

WASHINGTON Aug 17—Secretary Foster was busily engaged in the treasury department Saturday in catching up with current business He devoted considerable time consulting with the various bureau officials on financial matters Later he talked quite freely to a United Press representative about treasury matters and the financial policy of the department He said About $18 500 000 of 4½ per cent bonds have been extended and applications have been received covering about $2 500,000 more What the final outcome will be of course I can not tell It is probable however that a considerable portion of the balance—$30 000 000—will be extended

Can Redeem the Bonds if Called Upon

'It will be no hardship for the treasury to be called upon to pay those not extended In fact such payment will add by the amount paid to the money in the hands of the people By the extension we succeeded in preventing a decrease of national bank notes, and in fact, have so far increased this circulation nearly $5 000 000 The outlook is that considerable more of an increase will be effected I am not finding any fault with the action of the banks, as might be inferred from a recent press dispatch

Agrees with Senator Sherman.

"I saw Mr Sherman at Mansfield I always find it profitable to discuss treasury matters with him I do not recall a single disagreement between us The statement telegraphed from Mansfield is pure romance While there is less money in the treasury than for many years past it is in a comfortable condition Because of less money in the treasury it follows that more money than ever before is in the hands of the people thus facilitating the conduct of business of the country

Uncle Sam on a Gold Basis

We are on a gold basis and there is no occasion for alarm as to the ability of the government to maintain this condition The secretary has ample power to maintain or increase the present reserve of gold I may add that Mr Sherman fully agrees with me regarding the legal power of the secretary as above expressed. I do not see any occasion for the exercise of this power but I do not hesitate to say that should the occasion arise I shall not fail to use it"

The Enterprising Special

The press dispatch referred to by Mr Foster was a special to the New York Press in which it was stated that in the interview with Sherman it was soon demonstrated that the ex secretary did not share the views of Mr Foster upon the subject He thought the secretary should pay the 4½ per cents and he undertook to show how easy it was for him to do it without making trouble in the financial world,' etc etc

CHICAGO CRANKS ARE HAPPY

Old Anse Leaves New York with a Small Lead for the Pennant

CHICAGO Aug 17—The hopes of the base ball crank of the Windy City have been built up around the proposition that if the colts left New York for the west on this trip in the lead the pennant would float next year from a Chicago pole. New York played a tie game Saturday Boston didn't play and Chicago took the third of the three games with Brooklyn, giving Captain Anson a lead of seven points Three games with the Pittsburg men will finish this tour, and the home grounds will see the colts cavorting around for a spell If those Pittsburg games go Anson s way—but base ball is mighty onsartin" Boston and New York are very close for second place—only one point between them Following is given the standing of the clubs

LEAGUE	Won	Lost	Per cent	AMERICAN	Won	Lost	Per cent
Chicago	56	39	589	Boston	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Boston	[illegible]	38	582	St Louis	[illegible]	[illegible]	641
New York	50	36	581	Baltimore	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Philadelphia	49	44	[illegible]	Athletic	[illegible]	4	[illegible]
Brooklyn	44	46	489	Columbus	48	[illegible]	[illegible]
Cleveland	44	51	463	Cincinnati	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Cincinnati	[illegible]	[illegible]	404	Louisville	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Pittsburg	[illegible]	58	3 0	Washington	[illegible]	64	[illegible]

WESTERN	Won	Lost	Per cent	ILLINOIS	Won	Lost	Per cent
Milwaukee	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Quincy	[illegible]	[illegible]	641
Minneapolis	52	45	[illegible]	Joliet	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Omaha	40	40	[illegible]	Rockford	[illegible]	41	[illegible]
Sioux City	40	46	316	Ottawa	[illegible]	45	[illegible]
Kansas City	[illegible]	4	51	Ottumwa	40	44	[illegible]
Lincoln	[illegible]	4	480	Cedar Rapids	38	[illegible]	468
Denver	[illegible]	[illegible]	404				
Duluth	[illegible]	60	304				

Braced Up on Whisky

TACOMA Wash Aug 17—Aeronauts Woodhall and Johnson have been giving exhibitions here Saturday afternoon Woodhall was ill and Johnson a comparatively inexperienced man, made an ascent He braced up beforehand on whisky and when about 2 000 feet up he began to do trapeze acts when the balloon being unsteady he should have remained quiet Suddenly he lost his hold and fell like a shot to the earth a mangled mass The parachute relieved of his weight, collapsed and fell close to his side

LATER—The man who fell was Professor Parker of Quincy Ills He is not dead but cannot recover Both legs have been amputated

Milwaukee Ordered to St Louis

MILWAUKEE Aug 17—Orders have been received from Manager Cushman to start his team to St Louis in time to reach there tonight The order came from President Gillettte, and while no particulars are known here it is believed from the tone of the dispatch that it is practically settled that either the Louisville or the Cincinnati franchise (probably the former) has been secured for Milwaukee

Memorial Service to Lowell

LONDON, Aug 17—A memorial service for the late James Russell Lowell was held Saturday in Westminster Abbey Special seats were reserved in the choir for Americans, and among those in attendance was United States Minister Lincoln Archdeacon Farrar delivered a glowing tribute to Lowell as one of the greatest American poets of his generation

Going into the Banking Business

WASHINGTON, Aug 17—The comptroller of the currency has authorized the following national banks to begin business First National bank of Marshall, Minn, capital $50,000, First National bank of Emlenton, Pa., capital $50,000

Death of the Jap Wrestler

NEW YORK, Aug 17—Matsasada R Sorakichi, the celebrated Japanese wrestler, died in this city Saturday night of consumption He was 83 years of and had been ill for a long time

REAR END COLLISION.

Frightful Disaster on the Rail in Switzerland.

LARGE NUMBER OF PEOPLE KILLED

A Special Excursion Train Run into by the Paris Express—Twelve Dead Bodies Taken from the Wreck and Also a Number of Injured Persons—Frightful Fall of an Aeronaut in Italy—Other Old World Notes.

BERNE, Aug 17—A terrible accident resulting in the instant death of twelve persons and the serious injury of many others some of whom will probably lie occurred Monday on the Jura Simplon railway near this city A special excursion train which was conveying hundreds of villagers from the surrounding country to witness the fetes in connection with the 700th anniversary of the foundation of the city of Berne was stopped at a siding a short distance from its destination in order to allow the regular Paris express to pass The engineer of the express as nearly as can now be ascertained had not been notified of the fact that the excursion train was on the track ahead of him and the conductor of the excursion seems to have neglected to send a signal man back to protect the rear of his train while the shunt was being arranged

Crashed Into the Train

The express running at high speed, came upon the excursion train so suddenly that the engineer's efforts to check its speed and avoid disaster were unavailing The heavy express dashed into the rear of the excursion train demolishing the hindmost coach and forcing its way partly through the next one The rear coach happened to be an empty one which was intended for passengers to be taken on at another station The guards in charge of it were killed but the presence of this car doubtless saved the lives of many occupants of the other coaches As it was, the passengers in the second coach were nearly all killed or injured The train men assisted by the passengers who had escaped injury set to work immediately to rescue the unfortunates who were imprisoned in the wreck Heartrending cries of agony nerved them to almost superhuman efforts but in spite of their exertions they were forced to witness the death before their eyes of several who had not been killed outright but were crushed by broken timbers or exposed to the escaping steam from the locomotive

Festivities Marred

Twelve corpses were taken out of the debris and the injured were finally extricated and cared for as well as the conditions of the place permitted pending the arrival of a special train from Berne which had been telegraphed for immediately after the collision and which conveyed physicians and surgeons to the scene Most of the victims of the disaster were residents of towns in the vicinity of this city and the news of the calamity has caused excitement and mourning all through the region The sad event has marred the festivities incident to the celebration in which the Bernese have been so joyously engaged and the remaining fetes on the programme will doubtless be abandoned in consequence

Frightful Fall of an Aeronaut

ROME Aug 17—An aeronaut who made an ascent at Macerata met with a terrible death The large crowd of people who had assembled to witness the ascent were watching the balloon sail gracefully away to the eastward when they were horror stricken to see the aeronaut fall from the car and plunge rapidly downward from a dizzy hight At the time of the accident the balloon was over the Adriatic though the point from which it had been sent up was some miles inland The unfortunate aeronaut fell into the sea and perished, while the balloon relieved of its weight soared away and was speedily lost to view

The Grain Situation in Europe

LONDON, Aug 17—The report that American farmers are hoarding grain causes no little anxiety not only in Germany but in all European countries as it is felt that the demand from America this year will undoubtedly be large Advices from Russia present the situation in no more favorable light In Astrakan near the Caspian sea several villages are reported to be almost depopulated many of the people having died of hunger and others have left for better favored regions

Tenants Will Buy the Estate

LONDON Aug 17—The first of the large estates in Ireland to come under the operations of the Irish land purchase act which was passed by the government at the last session of parliament, is that of Lord Lurgan situated in county Armagh and county Down An agreement has been entered into between his lordship and 800 tenants living upon his estate by which the latter agree to purchase the property under the provisions of the land purchase bill The price agreed upon is $.35 000

A Pension for Letter Carriers

NEW YORK Aug 17—The Veteran Letter Carriers association of New York proposes to submit for the action of congress a bill to provide for the retirement and pensioning of letter carriers in cities and postal districts connected therewith after twenty years' service In the event of the retirement of an old letter carrier under the provisions of the proposed bill, he would receive $100 for the first year $300 for the second year and thereafter $500 a year as long as he should live

Saved by a Post Mortem

NEWTON, N J, Aug 17—William P Ellot, son of H M Ellot, who lives near Branchville, Sussex county, was bitten by a rattlesnake some days ago and to all appearances died and the preparations for his funeral were made The doctors concluded to make a post mortem and cut open a sore that had formed under his arm To their great surprise the young man began to show unmistakable signs of life, and restoratives being applied he came to and is now getting well

Did Not See the Lantern

BRIGHTON Colo, Aug 17—An extra train dashed into the regular freight near here killing two men S W McAdam and Charles McKillop The brakeman of the regular freight claims to have signaled the extra to stop, but as they were rounding a curve at the time they did not see the lantern swinging A few men were injured, and the caboose and a few of the rear cars of the regular freight were demolished

DRANK FROM A FOUL WELL

Two People Dead and Several Others Very Ill at Milwaukee.

MILWAUKEE, Aug 17—As a result of drinking water from a foul well two persons have died and twenty four are ill, some of them so critically that the doctors have given up all hopes of recovery The well is on the premises of Jacob Bassal, living at the corner of Bureeigh and Sixth streets, and beyond the reach of the city's water system For a long time the well has furnished the drinking supply of half a dozen families in the neighborhood Last week, about all the members of the several families partaking of the well water became ill and their ailment soon developed into typhoid fever

Some of the Victims.

John Eugal a married man, died Thursday and Saturday a daughter of Jacob Bassal on whose premises the well is located breathed her last Those who are suffering with typhoid fever are E Scharff his wife, and two sons, Fred Keiling his wife and two children, P Abrahams, one daughter and servant, Bertha Wilms Mrs Lugal whose husband died Thursday Fred Theos and three children, Phillip Fracht and wife Jacob Bassal whose daughter died Saturday, his wife and three other children Some of these were so low Sunday afternoon that the doctors abandoned all hope for them But a short distance from Bassal s premises is a marsh the water from which is supposed to have worked itself into the well and thus contaminated the water

FREAK OF THE LIGHTNING

One Man Killed and Others Badly Injured at Denver

DENVER Aug 17—Electricity flashed around Denver Sunday night, and as a result John Cunning is dead and Dan Fitzpatrick, Dan Edwards Mike Fennells and John Tuck are badly injured The men were all employed at Bun s brickyard, just outside the city limits When the storm was at its height and the sky seemed almost a sheet of blinding light the men crawled into a brick kiln for shelter from the rain

Electric Roads Abandoned

Immediately afterwards there was a roar that culminated in a peal which shook every window in the city Then came a lightning flash so intense as to be blue and Cunning fell forward dead without a word Fitzpatrick, Edwards and Fennells were all struck on the feet but Fitzpatrick is the only man seriously hurt Tuck was half a mile away and was knocked heels over head All the electric roads stopped running for some hours An extraordinary display was seen among the telegraph wires

AT HER HUSBAND'S SIDE

The Remains of Mrs James K Polk Placed in the Tomb

NASHVILLE Aug 17—In the presence of thousands of people the remains of Mrs James K Polk, widow of the tenth president of the United States were placed in the vault beside those of her distinguished husband who died in 1840 nearly half a century ago A detail of sixty police was necessary to keep open the graveled walk from the historic mansion to the tomb The casket was covered with flowers and was carried by six stalwart negro men, preceded by the pallbearers the relatives and immediate friends following Short services were held at the tomb and the gathering slowly dispersed

Town Run by Toughs

PORTSMOUTH O Aug 17—A reign of terror exists at Rarden in this county, on the Ohio and Northwestern railroad It is a great logging and lumber center perhaps the largest in the state Hundreds of loggers are employed in the woods For a month the town has been run by three toughs The town prison was burned and incendiary fires occur almost nightly Poisoned bread is thrown around town and even placed on doorsteps The gang will not allow the arrest of any of their members Recently five of them arrived with Winchesters stopped a train, and went through it for a man whom they wanted Twenty incendiary fires and four murders is the record of the recent past

An Aeronaut Drowned

SYRACUSE N Y, Aug 17—James Buckingham aeronaut and parachutist, who made an ascension at Pleasant beach on Onondaga lake Sunday, met a horrible death in the water The ascent was made without difficulty and when several hundred feet up in the air the professor loosened his hold on the balloon and dropped directly over the lake The parachute inflated with air and the descent was made slowly, but when the water was reached the parachute completely covered Buckingham, and it is thought he was unable to extricate himself from its folds About 7,000 people were present and witnessed the fall from the balloon and the subsequent drowning

Seems To Be a Case for Somebody

TAUNTON, Mass, Aug 17—The 16-year-old daughter of Mrs J F Montgomery one of the best known ladies in the city and of a wealthy family, is suffering with dysentery and other troubles The faith curists have been treating her for some time at the request of the mother The girl has been sinking gradually and the friends of the family have expostulated in vain with Mrs Montgomery The Rev H B Cady says it is a case for the children's society

Big Verdict Against a Railway.

LITTLE ROCK Aug 17—In the circuit court of Desha county the suit of Mrs. Mary Sweet, widow of John Sweet, who was killed in the wreck of a freight train last September against the St Louis and Iron Mountain railroad was decided in favor of the plaintiff The jury returned a verdict for the $35 000 asked This is the largest amount of damages ever given against a railroad company in Arkansas

Failure at Denver

DENVER Aug 17—The failure of the Brisbane Allan Brokerage company is announced The firm has dealt extensively in wheat, having for their correspondents in Chicago the firm of Kennett Hopkins & Co The firm has lost considerable of late and the flurry in wheat on Saturday was the straw that did the work Denver customers will lose $5,000 and Kennett Hopkins will lose $20,000

Gone to See the President.

WASHINGTON, Aug 17.—Secretary Foster left Washington yesterday afternoon to visit President Harrison at Cape May Point, N J When he left he was undecided whether he would return to Washington before he joined the president on his trip to the Bennington, Vt, celebration

DROPPED THE ROBBER.

The Good Work Done by Policemen at Detroit.

TWO BOLD HIGHWAYMEN BAFFLED.

They Attempt to Hold Up a Man and Woman but Their Plans Miscarry Owing to the Opportune Arrival of Officers—One of the Thieves Wounded—The Other Makes His Escape—The Record of Criminal Doings

DETROIT, Aug 17—An attempted highway robbery about 11 o'clock Sunday night resulted disastrously to the two robbers, one being fatally shot and the other it is thought badly wounded At the hour named a man and woman were promenading on the boulevard near the Mack road At this point there is a dense grove and the place is very dark The couple were all unconscious of danger when suddenly two men sprang out from among the trees and halted them One of the men had a revolver in his hand and the other carried a wagon spoke Throw up your hands and deliver up your money" cried the man carrying the revolver at the same time thrusting the weapon near his intended victim s face The young man grabbed the revolver and with a quick jerk wrenched it from the robber s hand

Police Officers on Hand

In an instant, however he was felled to the ground by a stunning blow from the wagon spoke in the hands of the second robber, who then proceeded to choke the young woman, who screamed loudly Officers Tracy and Palmer who have been on the lookout as the result of a number of reports of just such robberies, were close by and came running up, the highwayman with the revolver opening fire on them as they did so The officers returned the fire and one of the robbers dropped in his tracks just as he was in the act of turning to run His companion had already fled into the grove and it is believed that he too received a bullet Officer Palmer had a narrow escape as a bullet cut through his trousers at the thigh but did not graze the skin The wounded robber, who gave his name as Edwin Ganger of this city was taken to the hospital where he will probably die

HOKE HAS A CHANCE.

If He Goes to Canada He Will Not Be Tried Again

PEORIA, Ills, Aug 17—The efforts of those parties who are trying to keep J Finley Hoke, the embezzler in the penitentiary for the rest of his life seem likely to prove futile Hoke said in an interview that he had expected to be set at liberty when he completed his sentence. The Merchants National bank, from whom he embezzled $180 000, will prosecute him on the nineteen indictments still pending It is thought here he can not be held as he has served his term for forgery, the crime for which he was extradited and tried The other indictments charge embezzlement and it is said he cannot be held on them The officers would then be compelled to allow him to return to Canada which he claims as his home Should he voluntarily return to the United States or refuse to go to Canada he can be tried again

Terrible Domestic Tragedy.

OTTAWA, Kan Aug 17—E B Preston, a lumber merchant at North Ottawa, shot and killed his wife and attempted to commit suicide Mr and Mrs Preston separated some time ago Mrs Preston returned to her husband three weeks ago, but the quarrel was renewed Sunday. During the altercation Preston drew his revolver and killed his wife at the first shot He turned the weapon on himself and shot himself in the head, inflicting a wound from which he cannot recover

Didn't Do What They Went For.

BOSTON, Aug 17—Michael Repucco, an Italian, was attacked in his rooms on Prince street by two other Italians named Gabriel Dolorusso and Marsimino Repucci, one armed with a hatchet and the other with a stiletto They declared that they had come to assassinate the whole Repucco family The neighbors called in the police, who found Repucco defending himself with a club They arrested the two assailants who said that Repucco had been lying about them

Non-Union Men Assaulted.

BATTLE CREEK Mich Aug 17—As the half dozen men taking the place of striking molders in the Union School Furniture company's foundry were being escorted by police from a barber shop they were followed and stoned by 2,000 men and boys Several persons were slightly injured The non union men are boarded and lodged on the company's premises to avoid trouble with the strikers

Walt Whitman's Tribute to Lowell.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug 17—The following on the death of James Russell Lowell has been sent by Walt Whitman from his home in Camden, N J "Let me send my little word, too to J R Lowell's memory His was the true American's and humanity s spirit in the light of his own convictions and he wrought them out faithfully His written pages preserve a certain attitude everywhere. As Emerson says We are at any rate, beholden to kings and eminencies for their grand standard of atmosphere and manners, or suggestion of them'"

A Curious Case of Poisoning.

ALBANY, Aug 17—William Coffey, a workman employed by the Metropolitan Telephone company is suffering from poisoning which he got on Thursday by handling the apparatus in which the cables are passed The pipes are thickly covered with tar, which had not completely dried After completing his work, he washed his hands with kerosene and then dried them in cement. Friday night his right arm began to swell and in a few hours reached an abnormal condition.

Anthracite Coal in Sonora.

WASHINGTON, Aug 17—The reports of the discovery of extensive anthracite coal fields in Sonora are confirmed by the advices received by the bureau of American republics. Operations at the coal fields are being carried on about forty miles from Ortis, a town on the Sonora railway between Hermosillo and Guaymas. The concession is owned by a Mexican company covering 4,000,000 acres. One vein has been bored into twenty-two feet and the drill is still working in coal.

Bradley Bros.

OFFER SOME UNUSUAL

BARGAINS THIS MONTH.

GENERAL CLEARING UP

OF SUMMER GOODS.

Fancy China Silks at 45c, were 60c and 75c.
Figured India Silks at 45c, were 65c.
Figured Bengalines at 67c, reduced from 90c.
Black Lace Flouncing, 40 in deep at 98c, was $1.50.
Black Lace Flouncing at $1 68, was $2.50.
Black Lace Flouncing at $2 35. was $3 50
Black Lace Flouncing at $3 70 was $5 00.
Black Iron Frame Grenadines at 39c, were 60c
Black silk, Plain and Figured Silk Grenadines at 59c, were 75c.
Fancy Striped, all Silk Grenadines, 24 inches wide at 69c. were $1.00.
Finest Quality French Grenadines in Iron Frame, with silk bars and stripes at 98c, were $1 25, $1.50 and $2.
Grenadine Dress Patterns in woven and embroidered silk effects at $12, were $18, and $24. All patterns marked.
25 Pieces Brilliantines at 19c, marked down from 35c.
50 Pieces Fancy Plaid 36 inch Dress Goods at 19c, original price 35c.
50 Pieces all Wool Fancy Dress Goods 36, 38 and 40 inch wide at 39c, original price 50, 58 and 65c.
One box best American Sateens at 10c, old price 20c.
One box Oriental Wash Crepes at 11c, old price 20c
One box choice Challie, an 18c quality at 10c.
Bales of Brown, yard wide Sheeting at 5c and 6c yard.
Bales of Heavy Shirting at 5c per yard.
2,000 yards Outing Cloths at 6¼c per yd.
25 doz. Ladies' Grey Vests at 14c each.
Ladies' Striped Lisle Hose, 25c and 33c, were 35c and 50c
Percale Outing Cloth Waists, 39c, 47c, 69c each.
Boys' Calico Waists at 16c each.
Zephyr Gingham Shirt Waists at 95c.
Satine and Dimity Shirt Waists at $1.25.
Mens' and Boys' Flannel and Madras Shirts to close out at less than the cost of the material.
A 50c Unlaundered Shirt at 33c.
A 75c Unlaundered Shirt at 50c.
Full line Mens' Linenette Shirts at 73c, were $1.00.
Mens' Flannel Shirts for 97c, were $1.25.
Mens' Madras Shirts for 97c, were $1.25.
Mens' Flannel Shirts for $1.15, were $1 50.
Mens' Madras Shirts $1.15, were $1 50.
Mens' Silk Striped Shirts for $1.38, were $1.75.
Mens' Silk Striped Shirts at $2.20, were $2.95.
Mens' Silk Striped Shirts at $2.70, were $3.50.

Bradley Bros.

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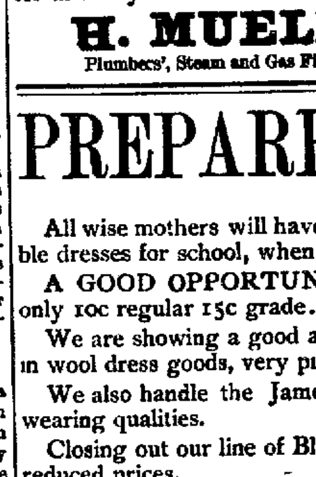

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TWO MAKE A PARTY.

The third party has been formed in Illinois. It is composed principally of Representative Taubeneck and Alason J. Streeter. It presents a trifle more varied front than the republican party, with its one and only man with nobody to follow But it may be urged that in the matter of presenting entertaining variety Blaine can keep ahead of Taubeneck and Streeter.

There was some talk in the republican papers a few weeks ago about the comparative size of Taubeneck and the two F M. B. A men who voted to send Palmer to the Senate. We heard that Moore and Cockerill were dead dogs in the political pit, while Taubeneck was honored highly at the people's party convention at Cincinnati Now these same papers can go on to say that Taubeneck is one-half of the third party in Illinois There is honor for you It is more than Blaine had at this man's age. For it must be remembered that it was not until seven years ago that Blaine could show strength enough to force his party to nominate him But either Taubeneck or Streeter can get any nomination they want from the third party in this state Taubeneck has only to inform Streeter what is wanted The latter will agree to an appointment with the former, to be kept at some seasonable hour and at any public place. This will be a convention of the party. If a chairman is elected there will only be one voter left on the floor. No chance for acrimonious debates or bolting delegates here. The chairman will not experience any of the delight of voting to break a tie. He will just call Mr Taubeneck's name and then declare the nomination. It will not be necessary to put a motion to make the nomination unanimous. There will be more harmony and less votes to the square inch in that convention than you could strike in a graveyard

Oh yes, Mr Taubeneck is getting exalted. He is climbing the party ladder fast enough to make us think that he has a balloon concealed somewhere about his clothes He ought to be searched to see if he has taken the precaution to put a parachute in one of his pockets

For mighty and awful must be that man's fall some day. You who have seen Streeter know that he is now an old man His head is a pleasant combination of bald and gray, but it is an indication that its owner must soon turn in for eternity When he is gone, where will be Taubeneck's party? Streeter will take it with him And then there will be no more nominations to be had for the asking, no more conventions and no more political Taubeneck The party's vote will be reduced 50 per cent at one stroke. The strongest party cannot survive one such reduction and it is not thought that even the people's party of Illinois will care to try a second one

So we see that Taubeneck's giddy and ponderous eminence is built upon a foundation as slim as the thread upon which Streeter's mortal career hangs. Some people would not care for such a treacherous fame. There are those who would not be Damocles if they had to lie awake nights to watch his sword. Among those are Moore and Cockerill. They may not be as famous as Taubeneck, but they will probably last longer. They will never get Streeter's vote, but that has got deplorably out of the habit of electing anybody They may be, in the figurative language of one of our contemporaries, dead dogs in the pit, but there is not in Taubeneck's party enough votes to make him pound master He will get no profit out of the occurrence

One would have no trouble in bearing modestly all of Taubeneck's honors if another would only come along and agree to stand good for the board bills that might be contracted during the performance The republicans have treated Taubeneck shabbily, we think They have filled him with fame and then pumped even the wind out of him. They call his an enviable condition. they will soon begin to ask him to be grateful for the favors he has received Nobody works the republican party that is its specialty.

IT IS BEST

The F. M B A. of this state, acting as an organization, has refused to declare itself a distinct third party. Most people will agree that the organization pursued a wise course. It showed its strength in last fall's election. It asked the old parties to put up certain men as candidates. Where this was done the man was elected where the old party refused, it was snowed under on a chilly November day.

If the organization can show its old strength when the time for the next nominations comes, it will have a great deal to say about who shall be the candidates. It is a pretty big thing in politics to be able to name the candidates If any organization can do that for both parties it need not worry itself about the result of the election. The F. M. B. A. has shown that it can beat a republican who is displeasing to it, and that it can throw its vote so as to elect a democrat it favors. This strength means everything in Illinois politics.

The F. M B A., acting as a third party, would be a daisy at naming candidates for certain defeat. The good results of such a course would not be enough to reform a Sunday school teacher who drinks soda pop. The results of such a course as the one adopted last fall will in another year reform the ring that dominates republican politics in Illinois. It will reform that ring by burying it, the only way in which it can be done.

The maintenance of the F. M. B. A. in this state means that Fifer will soon be compelled to let loose. It may not beat him in the convention, but on election day it can make him think that chickamauga was comparatively a pleasant summer resort. The F. M. B. A. asked Fifer to put a man on the board of railroad and warehouse commissioners. The governor replied by putting on one of his own and Tanner's henchmen. The F. M. B. A. may want to get even on that score. As an independent organization it can do so; as a third party it could only make Fifer smile after the fashion of the delightfully amused. As a party, he would fear the F M. B. A. about as much as he does the prohibitionists.

And anything similar can be said of every other officeholder who has managed to incur the displeasure of the F. M. B A That man will either fix up matters with that organization or he will change his method of making a living. And this will remain true as long as the organization is truly independent and in earnest. This is better than to be a weak third party, an election day humorist. The friends of the F M B A in this state will congratulate it on the happy ending of this matter

Arthur

J S Duvall has been bedfast the past few days

A little child of John Hastings is reported ill.

Mrs William McMullin is reported as being very sick

Mrs Jack Wright and family are at Arcola visiting

There will be a game of baseball between Sullivan and Arthur at the latter's grounds next Tuesday

Mart Haney, Hugh Rigney Robert Martin and Miss Nettie Wright went to Springfield Thursday.

William Beckman will leave for Franklin, Penn., soon, to attend the reunion of his old brigade.

Ben Shrock and family and Milton Otto will leave next week to visit their old homes in Pennsylvania.

A C & E I laborer got drunk and disorderly Friday and hence the village coffers were replenished by a fine of — and costs

The following births have been recorded since Friday morning To Mr and Mrs Perry Davis, a girl to Mr and Mrs John Oye, a girl to Mr and Mrs John Jenne a boy

Lightning struck a straw stack belonging to Dan Yoder Friday and it was very nearly consumed by fire The stack was close to some out buildings which were only saved by the shower of rain

There was very little done on the C & E I this week on account of the lack of ties. The track is now laid from Tuscola to six miles southwest of Arthur where there will be a station called Caldwell

Haney Bros will begin the erection of a two story brick soon where the Arthur Graphic is now published The lower room will be used for a printing office and the upper floor for a public hall The building will be 54x72

The C & E I seem to meet with trouble every time they move In buying the right of way through Arthur a lot belonging to John Keyes was purchased by them for which they paid $40 In making their survey and grading, 20 feet belonging to another lot owned by Mr Keyes was used Damages was claimed by Mr Keyes on this lot. James Ellars and C & E I officials met yesterday to compromise the matter

Aug 1?

THE NEWS IN BRIEF

William Allibone of Punta Rassa Fla. has an alligator which eats up the refuse of the Allibone household and is a better scavenger by far than the average city garbage man

The state tax commission of Indiana has decided to assess all gas wells for taxation at $750 The pipe lines will be assessed at $2 per foot for 16 inch mains, down to 4 cents per foot for 1 inch pipe

A queer looking copper machine, which proved to be an infernal arrangement, was found near Disco Ills

'Bud White of Emporia Kan called his neighbor James Slusher to the door and opened fire with a six shooter Slusher was struck twice and will probably die.

A railroad in the Argentine republic has one stretch of 211 miles without a curve or bridge

A barber in Burlington Vt upset all previous records the other day by going out and getting married while a waiting customer was being lathered by his assistant

A Chinese newspaper published in San Francisco has been sued for libel by an Indian

The 9 year old son of Patrick McGowan of Pratt county Kan, was run over by a wagon loaded with wheat The boy arose walked a short distance and dropped dead

E A. Peck, general superintendent of the Big Four system A G Wells superintendent of the Peoria division J W Simmons superintendent of the Cairo division, and Dr Blackman of Indianapolis were arrested at Georgetown Ills, for hunting prairie chickens and fined $50 each

Michael Mahon, a Slayton Minn, farmer was killed by lightning

A female tramp at Parsons Kan, became intensely abusive the other day and indulged in highly offensive language because she was offered a last year's bonnet by a benevolent Christian lady

Three young women who were students at Farmington Me, have earned much money during their summer vacation by picking berries

An attempt was made to wreck a fast train on the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern railroad between Sturgis and Burr Oak, Mich, by piling ties on the track A freight train crew removed the obstacles and warned the passenger conductor, but the ties had again been placed on the track when the passenger came along

Camel raising is said to afford the King of Italy much pleasure and profit

Governor Francis of Missouri has amassed a fortune of $1 000 000 within the last ten years In 1881 he was worth only $2,000, but lucky investments in wheat on the Chicago board of trade started him on the road to wealth

Charles W Buch and Charles A. Smith, on trial at Salem Ills, for the killing of Pat Quirk by train wrecking, were found guilty and sentenced to fourteen years each in the penitentiary

John Stutsman of Des Moines, brother of the chief of police, died from sunstroke while in a boat on the Zoological garden lake.

Cornelius Bos, 55 years old, a prominent farmer of Fillmore, Mich, was instantly killed at Thirteenth Street crossing, Holland, by the Chicago and West Michigan mail train

A disastrous cyclone passed over Elderville, Ills. No lives were lost

Pearl fishers at Waterloo, Ia., opened 150,000 clams and secured $400 worth of pearls.

Japan has now 2,000 newspapers, where twenty-five years ago not a single journal existed.

Japanese lace is coming into market. It is a new manufacture, and hitherto has been mainly consumed at home.

SEEMS TO BE SUBSIDING.

Wheat Gets to $1.14, but Closes at $1 03—The Strain Eased.

CHICAGO, Ill, Aug. 17, 10 05 a. m—The exciting scenes in wheat and corn which characterized the trading the latter part of last week were renewed at the opening of the Board of Trade this morning The trading was just as wildly nervous as it was on Saturday when December wheat jumped within a few minutes from 99⅞ to $1 08 The bull fever was still on this morning and traders were inflamed with the prospect of higher prices as the result of the excitedly higher cables London reported cargoes for prompt shipment is 3d higher. Liverpool was up to the equivalent of 3 cents per bushel, and Paris country markets were up the equivalent of 7 cents. When the bell tapped for the opening of business the pit at once became a pandemonium out of which came these figures for December wheat inside of ten minutes $1 09½, $1 10, $1 11, $1 10½, $1 11, $1.11½, $1.12, $1 11, $1 10½ $1.11½, $1 12, $1 13 This was the top price on the early bulge Then the price began to weaken and with feeble rallies sank away and is now quoted at $1 07½ sellers, the lowest price of the day Sept corn is now 6?¼c.

11 a. m The bulge to $1 14 was accompanied by wildest excitement and some sales were reported as high as $1.14 The succeeding period of weakness was the result of free selling by both longs and shorts Conservative traders in both camps were satisfied that prices were too high for safety Consequently conservative longs began to take their profits freely and bears of the same grade began to put out rather free lines on the theory that whether the market goes higher or not, its present figure is above the average The consequence was that from the top figure there was a steady downward tendency, with here and there a slight reaction, followed each time by still lower figures until $1 05 was reached That was the low point It reacted to $1 07, sold off to $1 06½, up to $1 06½ and at 11 o clock was comparatively quiet at $1 06

The other markets followed wheat except rye, which had an independent strength Sept. sold up to $1 10¼ Corn opened strong and higher, Sept starting at 65⅜ to 66¼c against 62½c at the close on Saturday, sold to 68⅜c weakened to 64¼c rallied to 66c and at 11 o'clock was back at 64⅝c Sept oats opened at 30c, sold to 30⅜c and at 11 o'clock stood at 29¾c Sept. pork opened 25c higher at $10 50 sold to $10 65 but at 11 o'clock had broken to $10 47½

1 15 p m—Close—No 2 wheat unsettled cash, $1 02@1 03½, Aug $1 02@1 03½, Sept, $1,00¼, Dec, $1 02⅞@1 03 No 2 corn steady cash, 65½c, Aug 65¾c Sept 63⅝c Oct, 58 ¼c May, 46¾c No 2 oats cash 29¼c Sept, 29¼c May 32¼@⅜c Mess pork steady, cash $9 90@10 00 Sept, $9 92½@9 95 Oct, $10 07½@10 10 Lard steady, cash, 6 60c Sept, 6 60c, Oct, 6 70c Short ribs steady cash, 6 60@6 85c Sept, 6 62½c Oct 6 7?c No 2 rye weak, $1 02

NEW YORK, Aug 17—Wheat excited advanced 1¼@1⅝c but heavy liquidating set in, which forced prices down with heavy foreign selling orders prices ⅛@1⅛c up and a quieter feeling receipts, 641 200 bu sales, 12,570 000 bu, Aug, $1 12⅝@1 13⅜ Sept, $1 12⅛@1 13 Oct, $1 13¼@1 15, Nov, $1 15⅛@1 17 Dec $1 14@1 18 Jan, $1 1?¼ @ 1 18⅞ Feb $1 17 May, $1 18 @ 1 21 Rye, quiet and firm state, $1 07@1 08 Western Sept, delivery $1 12 bid Corn—Active, 2¼@3¼c up irregular receipts 10 588 bu sales 640 000 bu No 2 78@81c Oats firmer receipts 1?3 000 bu sales, 6 000 Western, 33@53c

BUFFALO, Aug 17—Wheat—No 1 hard, $1 25 No 1 Northern $1 20, No 2 red, $1 10 No 2, Corn 75c Receipts—Wheat, 940,000 bu corn, 210,000 bu Shipments—Wheat—500 000 bu, corn, 225,000 bu

CHICAGO PRODUCE

CHICAGO Aug 17

Produce Butter—Fancy separator 20 ?er ? dairies fancy fresh 14@16 pack ngstocks fresh 11c Eggs—Loss off 14½c per doz Live poultry—Old chickens 10½c per lb spring 11c ? stags 5½ turkeys mixed 1? ducks 9c ? spring 10@11c Potatoes ? ? Early Ohio ?@?c per ? Kansas ?@40c ? ? grown ?@60 per sack Minnesota ?@? per ? Apples Illinois green ?@? per bb? ? ?@? ? eating $1 ?@? Black berries—Michigan 50@61 per 16-qt case Blue berries—$1 75@? per 16-qt case

Death of an Eccentric Man

CHIPPEWA FALLS Wis, Aug 17—There has just died at St Joseph's hospital, this city, an eccentric individual called Andreas Lowea His trade was a worker in woods which he learned in the piano factory in Munich Perhaps no man in the United States has acquired like skill in renovating woodwork and restoring its polish About ten years ago he built a repair shop, in which he lived doing his own cooking for he was never married He manufactured a beautiful coffin composed of different kinds of woods in which he slept, despite the persuasions of intimate friends

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Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS } ss
MACON COUNTY }

Circuit court of Macon County September term A D 1891

Eloise C Davis vs George H Davis } In Chancery

Affidavit of the non residence of George H Davis the defendant above named having been filed in the office of the clerk of said circuit court of Macon County notice is hereby given to the said non resident defendant that the complainant heretofore filed her bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof which is still pending and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against said defendant returnable on the 28th day of September A D, 1891 as is by law required which summons was by the sheriff of Macon county returned not found Now therefore unless you the said George H Davis shall personally be and appear before the said circuit court of Macon county on the first day of the next term thereof to be holden at the court house in the city of Decatur in said county on the 8th day of September A D 1891 and plead answer or demur to the said complainant's bill of complaint, the same and the matters and things therein charged and stated will be taken as confessed and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill

E MCCLELLAN Clerk

I D WALKER Complainant's Solicitor

Aug 11 1891

Publication Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS } ss
COUNTY OF MACON }

County Court of Macon County to the October term A D 1891

In the matter of the estate of John Erisman deceased, vs Louisa Buchatt et al } File No 1?9

Petition to sell real estate to pay debts

Affidavit of the non residence of Ellen Frisman Kate Erisman Arthur Erisman William H Erisman Retta Erisman Edward Erisman Anna Erisman Harry Erisman Emma Erisman and —— Bealer defendants above named having been filed in the office of the clerk of the county court of Macon county notice is hereby given to the said Ellen Frisman Kate Erisman Arthur Erisman William H Erisman Retta Frisman Edward Erisman Anna Erisman Harry Frisman Emma Erisman and —— Bealer that the said Plaintiff Jane V Frisman as the administratrix of the estate of John Erisman deceased has filed her petition in the said county court of Macon county for an order to sell the premises belonging to the estate of said deceased or so much of it as may be needed to pay the debts of said deceased and described as follows to wit Lots numbered eight (8) and nine (9) in block number four (4) of the Hartwell Robinson's addition to the town now city of Decatur situated in Macon county and state of Illinois and that a summons has been issued out of this court against you, returnable at the October term A D 1891 of said court to be holden on the first Monday of October A D 1891 at the county court room in the city of Decatur in Macon county, Illinois Now unless you the said defendants shall personally be and appear before said county court of Macon county on the first day of the term thereof to be holden at the city of Decatur in said county on the first Monday of October 1891, and plead answer or demur to the said complainant's petition filed therein, the same and the matters and things therein charged and stated, will be taken as confessed and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill

Decatur, Illinois Aug 13 1891

GEO P HARDY Clerk

A G WEBBER Complainant's Solicitor

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS } ss
MACON COUNTY }

In the circuit court to the September term 1891

Lincoln Steel vs Yates Steel Sallie Bruton James Steel, Mary P Steel Laura Stratton John Stratton Mollie Shaddock William Shaddock Mertie Steel Emma Steel Mrs Catharine Steel, William Steel, Miss Catharine Steel Hardin Steel and Clifford M Anthony

In Chancery

Affidavit of the non residence in this state of Sallie Bruton James Steel Mary P Steel Laura Stratton and John Stratton, five of the above defendants in above entitled case having been filed in the office of the clerk of the circuit court of said county notice is hereby given to the said Sallie Bruton, James Steel, Mary P Steel, Laura Stratton and John Stratton that the above named complainant, heretofore filed his bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, which suit is still pending, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against the above named defendants returnable on the first day of the next September term of said court to be held at the court house in Decatur in said county on the fourth Monday of September, 1891

Now, unless you the said Sallie Bruton James Steel, Mary P. Steel Laura Stratton and John Stratton shall be and appear on the first day of said term of said court to plead, answer or demur to the said bill of complaint the same will be taken as confessed and a decree entered according to the prayers thereof

Dated this 11th day of August A. D 1891

E McCLELLAN, clerk

I D WALKER, Sol

Estate of Catherine Aughenbaugh, deceased All persons having claims against the estate of Catherine Aughenbagh, deceased are hereby notified to attend and present such claims to the county court of Macon county, Illinois for the purpose of having the same adjusted at a term of said court, to be held in the county court room, in Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, on the first Monday of October, 1891, being the 5th day thereof TOBIAS QUICKEL, Administrator of said estate

Dated Decatur, Ill, August 13, 1891

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Attachment Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS } ss
COUNTY OF MACON }

In the Circuit court to the September term, A D 1891

Hoopestown Clothing and Manufacturing Company vs Lansford F Butler and Frank W Dempsey, doing business under the firm name and style of Butler & Dempsey

To Lansford F Butler and Frank W Dempsey, under the firm name of Butler & Dempsey

You are hereby notified that the Hoopestown Clothing and Manufacturing Company the above named plaintiff has caused a writ of attachment to be issued in a cause wherein the said Hoopestown Clothing and Manufacturing Company is plaintiff and you, the said Lansford F Butler and Frank W Dempsey under the firm name and style of Butler & Dempsey are defendants against the estate of you the said Lansford F Butler and Frank W Dempsey the sum of one hundred and fifty one dollars That said writ is returnable on the fourth Monday of September, 1891, at a term in the circuit court, then to be held at the house in the city of Decatur, in said county and state where said cause is pending

Now, unless you appear, give bail and plead within the time limited for your appearance in said cause, judgment will be entered against you and the estate attached will be sold

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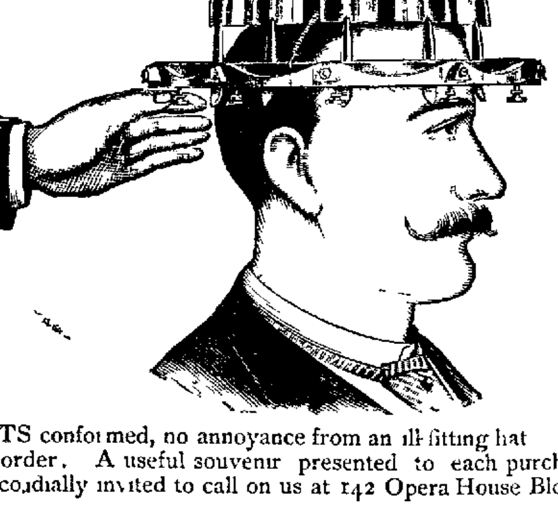

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No 2	12 05 a m	No. 1 (Ex Sun)	8.50 p m
No. 4	11 25 a m	No. 3	3:35 a m
No. 6 (Ex Sun)	8 35 a m	No. 5	2 45 p m
TO ST LOUIS.		FROM ST. LOUIS	
No. 1	6.30 a m	No. 10	8:45 p m
No 3	3 45 a m	No. 4	12:08 a m
No. 43	4 05 a m	No. 44	11:10 a m
No. 45	2 55 p m	No. 42	10.15 p m
No. 5	3 00 p m	No. 2	11 55 p m
No. 71 frt	5 45 a m	No. 70 frt	5:50 p m
TO TOLEDO		FROM TOLEDO	
No 46	6 25 a m	No. 43	3.50 a m
No. 44	11 15 a m	No. 45	2:30 p m
No. 42	10 22 p m	No 41	9.00 p m
No. 48 Effing	3 15 p m	No. 47 Effing.	10 55 a m
TO QUINCY, ETC.		FROM QUINCY, ETC.	
No 42	4 30 a m	No 42	10 10 p m
No 45	3 10 p m	No 44	10.50 a m
No 1	9 07 p m	No 6	6 15 a m
No 47 Bluffs	6 45 a m	No 48 Bluffs	7 05 p m
No 71 Frt	1 00 p m	No 70 Frt	10.45 a m

Ind. Decatur & Western.

ARRIVE		DEPART.	
No 1	2 35 p m	No 2	11 45 a m
No 3	8 55 a m	No 4	10 00 p m
Freight	9 30 a. m		

Terre Haute & Peoria

EAST.		WEST	
No 2	2 55 p m	No 1	11 45 a m
No 4	7 00 a m	No 3 arr.	7 00 p m
No 6 arv	9 00 p m	No 7 frt arv	4 50 p m
No 8 frt leav	4 40 a m	No 9 frt	4 30 a m
No 10 arv	3 50 p m	No 5 leav	6 30 a m

Illinois Central.

NORTH		SOUTH.	
No 2 pass	9 10 a m	No 1 pass	5 50 p m
No 4 pass	9 20 p m	No 3 pass	10 20 a m
No 12 accom	2 40 p m	No 13 frt	7.40 a m
No 14 freight	5 05 p m		
No 3 Champ'n Line arrives	10 00 a m		
No 4 " " leaves	8 15 p m		

Peoria, Decatur & Evansville.

NORTH		SOUTH.	
No 2 leav.	3.10 p m	No 1 leav	11 00 a m
No 4 leav	6 55 a m	No 3 leav	10 15 p m
No 14 frt	10 45 a m	No 11 frt	8 05 p m

EXCURSIONS.

WABASH EXCURSIONS

ONE AND ONE-THIRD FARE

Sullivan fair Sept 1 4
Monticello fair Aug 17 21
One fare excursion
Springfield fair and exposition Sept 7-11

HARVEST EXCURSIONS—The Wabash will run three harvest excursions one fare for the round trip on the following dates Tuesday, August 25, Tuesday, September 15, and Tuesday September 29, to Northwestern Iowa, points in Minnesota, North and South Dakota Montana Idaho to all points in Kansas, Nebraska, Colorado, Wyoming Utah New Mexico (except to points on So Pacific and Atlantic Pacific in New Mexico) All points in Arkansas and Texas points in Tennessee Mississippi Alabama, Louisiana, Oklahoma, Indian Territory and Southwest Missouri Tickets good 30 days

For further information apply at city ticket office 142 East Prairie street, or Union depot ticket office F W. GREENE, Passenger and Ticket Agent

Telephone No 7

HARVEST EXCURSIONS—Greatly reduced rates via Illinois Central, August 25 and September 29 On the above dates the Illinois Central railroad will sell excursion tickets at very low rates to all points on its lines west of and including Iowa Falls, Ia., Sioux City, Sioux Falls and points beyond, also to points on its line south of Cairo (excepting New Orleans) to points on the Mobile & Ohio railroad (excepting Mobile), and to points beyond in Southwestern Louisiana on the Southern Pacific and to points in Arkansas and Texas also from all points on its lines north of Cairo to all agricultural districts in the west northwest south and southwest Tickets good to return for thirty days For rates and full information call on any ticket agent of the I C railroad or connecting lines, or address J F Merry, A G P A Manchester, Ia or F B Bowes, 194 Clark st Chicago, Ill, or T Peniwell 110 Library Block or C O Judson ticket agent Union depot Decatur, Ill

T H & P EXCURSIONS

T H & P Excursion to Terre Haute On account of the annual reunion Veterans association of the 8th district to be held at Terre Haute Ind, Aug 13 14 and 15, The T H & P will sell round trip tickets to Terre Haute at one fare Tickets on sale Aug 12-15 good to return up to and including Aug 1?

Paris On account of the Edgar county races the T H & P will sell tickets to Paris and return at one fare on Aug 20 and 21 good returning 21 To accommodate Decatur people attending these races train No 3 will be held at Paris until 6 p m on above dates

On account of the Illinois annual conference M E church to be held at Bloomington Sept 16-23 the T H & P will sell round trip tickets to junction points with Bloomington roads at one and one third fare for the round trip Tickets good going Sept 1? good returning up to and including Sept 24

T H & P will sell round trip homeseeker's tickets to the west on Aug 25 and Sept 29 For further particulars call on or address F W Greene city ticket a passenger agent, 142 E. Prairie st T H & P Ry

HARVEST EXCURSIONS—Via the P D & E route on Aug 25 Sept 15 and 29 to the southwest west and northwest Round trip tickets good for 30 days rate as low as the lowest, through chair cars to Kansas City and other points for rates and further information be sure to call or write and secure your seats to save being crowded as there will be large crowds going on that date

FOR THE STATE FAIR—The P D & E will sell excursion tickets to Peoria at one fare for the round trip Tickets will be on sale on Sept 2? to Oct 3 inclusive good going on date of sale and returning leaving Peoria not later than Oct 3

For the annual encampment K P at Springfield, tickets will be sold at one and one-third fare for the round trip on Aug 18 and 19, good to return until Aug 20 C O Judson Union depot, T Peniwell, city office

NIAGARA FALLS EXCURSION—The I D & W railroad in connection with Big 4 route will make excursion rates Decatur to Niagara Falls and return $7 00 Toronto $8 00 Thousand Islands $1?.00, Put in Bay $6 00, Lake Chautauqua $8 ?0 Tickets will be sold for trains leaving Decatur at 10 20 p m Aug 17 and 11 15 a m Aug 18 For further information call at city ticket office or Union depot C G Dorwin G A, I D & W

WOODMEN'S PICNIC—For the Central Illinois picnic Modern Woodmen at Havana, the I C & R R will sell excursion tickets on Aug 17th and 18th at one and one-third fare good to return up to Aug 20th C O Judson, Union depot T Peniwell, city office

SUNDAY EXCURSIONS—Sunday excursion to Bloomingdale Glens Montezuma Sulphur Baths and all points on I D & W Ry, as far East as Marshall, on Sundays The I D & W Ry, will run a special excursion train leaving Decatur at 7 o clock a m arriving at Marshall at 10 10 a m and Montezuma at 9 47 a m returning leave Marshall at 5 30 p m and Montezuma at 5 50 p m arriving at Decatur at 8 30 p. m one fare for the round trip fifty cents will be added for hack fare from Marshall to the Glens and return

For parties of five or more rate of $1 75 percapita will be made to Bloomingdale Glens and Montezuma For further information call at city ticket office 142 East Prairie street or union depot ticket office. C. G Dorwin, Gen l Agt

FOR THE CLINTON FAIR—The I C railroad will sell excursion tickets Decatur to Clinton and return at 90 cents Tickets on sale August 10 14, good to return until Aug 15, C O Judson, Union depot or T. Peniwell, city office

EXCURSION EVERY THURSDAY—Walters and Phillips' select excursions from Minier, Delavan, Bloomington and St. Louis to California, Oregon, Washington Territory and all Pacific coast points every week, personally conducted, quick time, lowest rates No change of cars from Minier, Delavan, Bloomington and St. Louis to San Francisco, Cal, Los Angeles, Cal, and Portland, Oregon, via the Chicago & Alton and Union Pacific railways. These parties provide a comfortable, pleasant and economical mode of traveling overland to the Pacific coast. This is our tenth year's experience in organizing and conducting Pacific Coast Parties and during that time have taken thousands of passengers so that we feel confident that our accommodations and personal conduct of parties are not equalled by any other agency. Bear in mind that our rates are as low as the lowest and that our conductors accompany each party through to California. We use Pullman's new Tourist sleeping cars, which are furnished same as a regular Pullman sleeper and for which a small charge only is made. Our managers are both accommodating and experienced, and are assisted by colored porters whose duties are to wait upon and assist our patrons For full particulars regarding rates routes, etc., please address,

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Room 4, Jackson Place, Indianapolis, Ind.
or L. M. WALTERS & Co.,
Same Address.

HARVEST EXCURSIONS—The P D & E railroad will sell round trip tickets to points in the west, northwest and southwest at exceptionally low figures, Aug 25, Sept. 15, and 29 Tickets will be good to return for 30 days from date of sale and stopover privilige will be granted For rates and full information call upon any agent of the P D & E or address E A. Campbell, G. P. A. Evansville.

TAZWELL COUNTY FAIR—At Delavan, Ill. Aug 25-28. The P D & E R'y will sell excursion tickets Aug 25-28, from all stations between Peoria and Decatur, to Delavan and return at one and one-third fare for the round trip Tickets good for going passage on date of issue, and for return passage up to and including Aug 29 Tickets at above rate can be obtained only at the ticket office of the company C O. Judson, ticket agent of P D & E R'y.

HORSE SALE—98 HEAD.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 27, 1891.

Commencing at 9 30 a. m, at the old Henry Davis farm one fourth mile west of Long Creek Station, six miles east of Decatur. I will sell at public auction 98 head of horses consisting of

34 brood mares in foal.
15 suckling colts.
10 yearlings (mares and geldings).
12 two year olds (mares and geldings).
14 three year olds (mares and geldings).
13 four year olds (mares and geldings).
One Percheron stallion four years old, weight 1700.
Forty hogs.
One yearling steer.
One mule
Two hundred bushels of oats.
200 bushels of corn.
10 tons of hay

I will also sell at same time and place the use of one pasture for the balance of season, containing 120 acres, one of 40 acres and one of 80 acres. Plenty of water in each Having accepted the position of purchasing agent of the fancy goods and notion department of the dry goods company that will soon open up in the Arcade at Decatur the largest business building in the state outside of Chicago, the ground floor of which covers over 12,000 square feet, I have no time to spend looking after farming.

Consequently I will sell on the same day and place, at auction to the highest bidder a 5 year lease of the farm consisting of 240 acres divided into 12 fields and pastures all in grass, plenty of water, well fenced, a house of nine rooms in good condition and a barn 40x60. Besides wintering 75 to 150 head of cattle and horses I have sold during the last 5 years surplus grain, and hogs fed with grain raised on the farm, to the amount of $6,500.

Not having time to look after this sale, I have placed it in the hands of George M. Barnett with instructions to sell everything regardless of price

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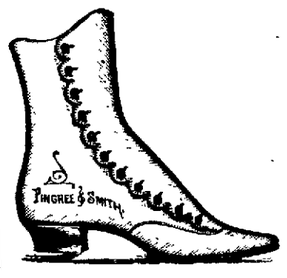

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MORNING REVIEW

TUESDAY, AUGUST 18, 1891.

SOCIETY MEETINGS.

MASONIC—Special communication of Macon lodge No. 8 A. F. & A. M this (Tuesday) evening at 7:30 o'clock for work. J. A. Buckingham, W. M.; W. L. Hammer, Sec.

K of P—Regular convention Chevalier Bayard lodge, No. 189, K of P this (Tuesday) evening at Castle hall. Library block at 8 o'clock sharp for work in Rank of Knight. Resident and visiting Knights cordially invited. J. Frank Davis, C. C.; Albert T. Summers K. of R. & S.

I. O. O. F.—Regular meeting of Decatur Lodge, No. 65, this (Tuesday) evening at 8 o'clock. Work in the first and third degrees. The degree staff is expected to be present. Visiting brethren cordially invited to meet with us. Thomas Kitchen, N. G. I. N. Martin, Jr., Sec'y.

MATTERS OF FACT.

Ice cream at Wood's.

Sale of fine table linens at the Boston store.

Lawn Tennis jackets and Blazers very cheap at the great clearing sale of Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods and Carpet company.

For prompt messenger service, telephone No. 446.

Water ices at Wood's.

Try Phos Ferrone at Irwin's pharmacy.

When you want your shoes repaired go and see John McAllister in Perl building.

Great Bargains in summer underwear, children's ribbed vests 5c at the great clearing sale of Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods and Carpet company.

Phos Ferrone a new and popular drink only 5 cents at Irwin's pharmacy.

Ice soda at Wood's.

Admirers of fine table linens will be interested in the Boston store ad this week.

John McAllister will repair your shoes on short notice. Give him a trial. Tabernacle building.

Railroad tickets bought and sold. Low rates to all points. ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL.

Phos Ferrone the great nerve tonic on draught at Irwin's pharmacy.

Lemonade at Wood's.

Henry Bros.' bakery is the place for a good meal or lunch. Bread delivered to any part of the city.

A good opportunity to save some money. Buy your linens at the Boston store this week.

You will find the best carpets, latest and most desirable styles, and lowest prices at Linn & Scruggs' Dry Goods and Carpet Co.

Chautauqua season tickets good for bearer, only $1.

Music students who desire to study harmony in class or private lessons, may leave word at Prescott's music store, or address F. W. Westhoff, 309 East Washington street.

Prof. William S. Nees, teacher of violin, cornet and piano. For terms write or call at 272 West Main street.

Smoke the new Little Rose cigar.

Go to George P. Hart for all kinds of upholstering. Library block.

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On Aug. 25th, the T., H & P. R. R., in connection with the T., St. L. & K. C. R. R., will run a cheap excursion from Decatur to Niagara Falls, only $7 00 for the round trip. Tickets good five days, with stop over at Toledo, within limits. Through coaches and sleeping cars from Decatur to Niagara Falls, via Toledo Lake Shore to Buffalo, and New York Central to Niagara Falls. Side trips can be had from Toledo to Put-in-Bay, Detroit and Lake Side, at an additional cost of $1 00, and to the Thousand Islands, the most beautiful part of the St. Lawrence river, at only $5 00 additional. This is the last opportunity of the season for making this delightful trip at a trifling expense. Special train will leave Decatur at 8 30 a. m., Tuesday, Aug. 25th. For further information and securing sleeping car accommodations, call at the Gen'l Ticket Office T., H. & P. Ry., 252 N. Water street.

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It is true economy to have a good carpet sweeper. It saves carpets, furniture, and above all, it saves time and patience. The "Charm" or "Ohio" does all that. They are the best sweepers on the market and can be had at the Lytle & Eckles Hardware Company's store.

Notice.

The Decatur Gas Lt & C. Co. hereby give notice that all wiring for electric light must be inspected before closed in, as the said company will not furnish light to any persons until wiring has been inspected and found correctly and safely wired.

Heard on the Street

"Say, John, have your girl got a sweet tooth?" "Naw." "Mine have. She all time sayin' "Lets go to Harry Miller's confectionery store north end Central block."

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or anything else in the music line? Prescott's music house is the place you want to find.

TEACHERS IN SCHOOL.

A Hundred and Fifty Brushing Up in the Institute.

The Macon county teachers' institute opened yesterday at the high school building with 100 pupils enrolled. Superintendent J. N. Donahey is in charge. He has engaged as instructors Professors E. A. Gastman, T. L. Evans, P. C. Wilson and J. H. Coonradt. The teachers will brush up their ideas on arithmetic, zoology, reading, grammar, history, writing, spelling, geography, botany, physics, and physiology. They will be examined next Saturday and Monday.

The institute was formally opened at 1:30 yesterday, when Rev. J. L. Clark delivered an address. Then the teachers went to different recitation rooms and became students again. This afternoon at 1:30 Professor Coonradt will lecture on "The Dynamo, Its History, Principle and Action."

Thursday and Friday the teachers will have an entertainment at Oakland park in connection with the Decatur Chautauqua. This is in place of the usual reception held at the high school building. That will not be given at this institute.

Two school book publishing houses have each filled four or five tables in the hallways with all kinds of teachers, supplies. W. A. Dixon represents E. L. Kellogg & Co., of New York. George E. Welles represents E. O. Vaile, of Chicago. Both are always ready to talk.

The names of the teachers who enrolled yesterday are given below. Their age was enrolled also, but that is omitted for obvious reasons. Most of the ages given are 20 to 22. The youngest are 17. Seven of that age are registered. The oldest is 53. The next is 42. Then there are four of 40, one of 37 and two of 35. Six or seven gave no age at all, though they filled out the rest of the blanks with scrupulous care. An effort was made to learn from one of the teachers something about the ages of those who left that important particular blank, but the teacher steadily refused to commit himself.

Margaret McGorry,	Anna Haden,
Carolyne Scott,	Emma Merker,
Ada R. Kile,	Sadie Kile,
William Hedges,	Maggie Griffin,
Sadie Rogers,	Mary Fogarty,
Lizzie A. Dunn,	L. E. Hinshaw,
George N. Dunham,	Mary E. McCullum,
Grace Cowdin,	Ira N. Hutchins,
Lucy Sanders,	Lillie W. Stewart,
Cora M. Davis,	Nina Baker,
Ernest Camp,	Mabel Thrift,
D. L. Parkhurst,	W. R. Benton,
B. T. Hickman,	W. L. Finson,
Ada Cross,	Amelia Kapp,
Homer Fry,	Mary Neil,
Walter Glenn,	Marie Z. Fleming,
Emma Zoe Bowlby,	May Cochran,
J. T. Cannon,	James H. Hawsman,
Flora Hunsley,	Pearl Wheeler,
Clara Hawsmon,	F. A. Smith,
B. F. Hall,	Estelle Craig,
G. W. Hall,	Anna M. Moyer,
Emma J. Stewart,	Fracia Hill,
Mattie Brown,	Agnes L. Compton,
Charley Walters,	Lura Smith,
Alice Bowman,	Hattie S. Jones,
Lena F. Bowman,	Clara V. Jones,
Flora Bowman,	Florence Montgomery,
Charles M. Borchers,	J. F. Shuey,
Josie Hankens,	Louise H. Adams,
Minnie Shepard,	Alta Stuart,
Carrie Stuart,	Edgar Dickey,
Ruthie Shewmaker,	C. A. Lindsey,
Marshall C. Grollin,	Mrs. John G. Kellar,
Charles J. Fesler,	Anna Shewmaker,
John G. Kellar,	G. W. Hyland,
Edna Rice,	Justin Love,
Amanda Evans,	Sarah E. Clemons,
Jennie Batchelder,	Anna Foster,
Worthy Divan,	Maude Stevens,
Maddie Kelso,	Ida Hockingberry,
Nettie C. Pritchet,	Oscar H. Quickel,
Mosetta I. Stafford,	Georgia Clendenen,
Mame R. Brand,	Mae Grosh,
Oka Calvin,	Maime Hughey,
L. P. Hughey,	Mrs. M. E. Kerr,
Grace K. Hutchinson,	C. H. B. Smith,
R. F. Davidson,	J. C. Gannon,
Cora McGorray,	Sallie McCall,
Hattie Crossman,	Mary English,
Kathrine Dempsey,	Laura E. Aikin,
Maggie Haldaman,	Clara E. Hoffman,
Celeste Hoffman,	Lulu Taggert,
Cora M. Towl,	Lizzie Pettyjohn,
Anna C. Wentz,	Grace Dille,
M. Maude Esby,	Katie F. Montgomery,
Carrie R. Mallory,	Clara Bothel,
Minnie E. Davis,	M. J. Harritt,
Lulu Wheeler,	Josephine Harwood,
Nora E. Smith,	Mae Bear.

Real Estate Transfers.

John T. Briggs to Daniel Moore, a lot on North Edward street; $800.

Mary C. Kinney to John E. Kinney, a lot at the corner of Cerro Gordo and Edward; $2 00

John P. Trimmer to D. A. Barrackman, three lots at the corner of Clar and Clayton, $1,200.

C. E. Dawson to D. M. Adams, a lot at the corner of Packard and Union; $2,350.

John T. Briggs to John R. Williams, a lot on Orchard street, $1,200.

George W. Wilson to August Otta, a lot on West Decatur; $650.

Nancy H. Hudson to Martha A. McCune, a lot on North Edward street, $850.

Charles H. Faith to Parker Major, 80 acres in Austin township; $2,000.

G. A. Ahrens to John Barnhart, a lot on North Edward near Pugh streets, $450.

G. A. Ahrens to Henry Barnhart, a lot at the corner of Edward and Pugh streets; $550.

Warren & Durfee to John A. Major, a lot on Monroe street near Packard; $850.

William B. Stringer to Albert C. Ziegler, 80 acres in Pleasant View township; $4,400.

Peter Perl to D. H. Heilman & Sons, sheriff's deed to 85 acres in Austin township; $274.

D. A. Barrackman to A. T. Summers, quit claim to three lots corner Clar and Clayton streets; $1,200.

Mary E. Boyer to Felix B. Tait, a lot on North Jackson street; $4,000.

Warren & Durfee to Eliza H. Wright, a lot on North Monroe street; $400.

Officer and Prisoner.

A deputy sheriff from Parke county, Ind., passed through Decatur yesterday morning on his way back to Indiana having in charge Benton Morgan, who was captured at Huntsville, Mo. He is wanted on a charge of grand larceny in Parke county, Ind. The evidence is all circumstantial and Morgan claims he can prove an alibi.

Wabash to Monticello Fair.

Tickets good returning up to and including Aug. 22. Trains leaving Decatur 6:35 a. m., arrives at Monticello, 7:40 a. m., leave 11:25 a. m. arrive Monticello 12:10. All trains stop at the fair grounds.

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A plain, rapid business handwriting is within the reach of every person. Pupils of the Decatur Business college are noted for their good, practical writing. Fall term opens Sept. 1.

A Fair Train.

The Central will run a special train from Decatur to Monticello Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of this week on account of the fair. Train leaves Decatur at 9 a. m., arriving at Monticello at 10:10 a. m. Returning leaves Monticello at 6:30 p. m.

PEOPLE YOU KNOW.

Harley Rents is visiting in Champaign.

H. M. Bragg is in Cuba, Mo., visiting his parents.

Capt. Jones has returned from a visit at Aurora, Mo.

Miss Lulu Mason is in Mt. Pulaski visiting her parents.

Dr. Reid was in Harristown yesterday on a professional visit.

Miss Mary Cloyd spent Sunday visiting friends in Lanesville.

W. F. Bercher visited with friends in Springfield yesterday.

Attorney James Lee will go to Bloomington today on business.

Fred Shellabarger visited with friends in Lanesville on Sunday.

Mark Murphey paid a visit to his farm near Elwin yesterday.

L. W. Grabill left yesterday for a short visit near Hervey City.

Miss Agnes Crunelly, of St. Louis, is visiting Decatur friends.

Miss Ella Race, who has been ill for a a week, is now recovering.

Mrs. William Anderson returned Sunday night from a visit at Litchfield.

Miss Maude Dowatney has returned from a visit with relatives at Quincy.

Miss Clara Black, of Harristown, was here yesterday visiting friends.

Miss Mary Boblett has returned from a three weeks' visit at Kankakee.

Dr. Will Barnes was in Hervey City yesterday on professional business

J. K. Warren spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Warren at Lake Bluff.

Joe Stout returned last night from Blue Mound, where he was on business.

Dr. Walston was called to Dalton City yesterday on professional business.

Miss Mamie Robinson, of Jacksonville, is here visiting Miss Annie Buchanan.

J. W. Foster, of Lovington, is the guest of his brother, S. T. Foster, in Decatur.

Joe Housum has returned from Lake Bluff after a visit with his friend, Lute Roby.

Mrs. John McAnally, John O'Connor and Frank Clark went to Chicago last night.

Miss Hisey, of Kenton, O., was the guest of Miss Hattie Childs a few hours yesterday

James Stafford returned yesterday from a two days' visit with friends in Edinburg.

Byron Bramble, who has been visiting his uncle Risley, at Streator, returned last night.

Will McConnell will return from Aurora, Ind., this morning after a visit with his parents.

Rev. Giffin, at Casner, is quite ill from the effects of a wound received while in the war.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Sessions are in Chicago, the former on business and the latter on a visit.

L. S. Livingston and his friend, P. D. Spooner, Blue Mound, spent Sunday in Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Orebaugh, of Bloomington, have returned home after a visit here with relatives.

Ralph, Robbie and Tommy Taggart have returned from Terre Haute, where they were on a visit.

Barrill Cooper and wife, of Maroa, will leave in a day or two for an extended trip through the west.

Miss Minerva Cussins returned last night from Niantic where she was visiting John Cussins and family.

Mrs. J. H. Masterson returned yesterday from a visit of several weeks in Pennsylvania and Virginia.

Mrs. L. E. Brown has returned from Taylorville where she was visiting Charles Wingate and family.

Mrs. Dr. Cussins and baby and Miss Lelah have returned from a visit with relatives in Owaneco.

Mrs. Amy Dedman, of Bethany, was here yesterday enroute to Salina, Kan., where she will visit relatives.

Miss Margaret McDermott left yesterday for her home at Chicago after a visit with Miss Marie McDermott.

Miss Anna S. Archer, of Chicago, left yesterday for Paris after a visit with Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Walston.

P. D. Spooner and family of Blue Mound, are in the city for a few days visiting relatives and friends.

Frank Arnold went to Mt. Pulaski yesterday. He will reside there hereafter. His family will go today.

Mrs. Mary Hooker, of Elgin, Ill., who has been visiting at Springfield a short time, is now a guest of friends here.

Visitors yesterday: Mrs. J. G. Holderman, Bethany; James Blair, Blue Mound; J. C. Tucker, Warrensburg.

Miss Johnson, from Springfield, is a new assistant in the office of the Macon County Abstract and Title Company.

Misses Luetta and Lena Ullrich and their guest, Miss Thomas, of Nashville, left last night for Chicago to visit friends.

Misses Rose and Emily Bloomar, of Bloomington, are visiting their friend, Miss Mattie Bachrach, on West Wood street.

Henry Goodman and Martin Koessman were among those who attended the Lutheran picnic at Mt. Pulaski Sunday.

Mrs. P. B. Provost, Mrs. A. Stetcher and Miss Libbie Bachman will return today from Toledo and Detroit after an extended visit.

Mrs. Joseph Jack will leave this morning for Lake Bluff to visit the family of T. T. Roberts, who are there spending the summer.

Jesse Lynch, of Wapella was here yesterday visiting his friend, Will Swain. He departs today for Kansas City to visit his parents.

Misses Eva Barton, of Middletown, Mo., and Minnie Ward, of Montgomery City, Mo., arrived here last night to visit Mrs. F. A. Leforgee.

Misses Lelah Ross and Maggie Murphy, who have been visiting Miss Effie Harrington at Edinburg for a week past, have returned home.

Miss Ethel Thomas, who has been visiting her friend Miss Lo Antrim on West Main street, will return to her home in St. Louis this morning.

Miss Allie Johns, of Cornwall, Eng., who has been visiting her sister Mrs. W. H. Penhallegon, departed yesterday for Streator to visit relatives.

W. H. Linn departed yesterday morning for New York city where he will in company with Walter Boyd, who is there, make fall purchases.

Mike Cuttle, who has been putting down artificial stone pavement at Indianapolis, Paris and Lincoln for the last seven weeks, spent Sunday at his home in Decatur.

Mr. and Mrs. William Maurer are expected to arrive here from Detroit some time this week. They will make this city their home for the present. Mr. Maurer will teach one of the Lutheran schools of this city this winter, school beginning September 1st.

Dr. Stickle and wife who have been visiting in Decatur for several weeks, will leave this morning for their home at San Francisco. They will be accompanied by Mrs. Josephine Crawford, who will visit there five or six weeks.

Dr. Ullrich departed last night for Chicago, to secure entries for the fall race meeting and horse fair. He will visit the Washington Park races, where he will meet some of the great horse men of the country and expects to get some fast ones.

Dr. W. A. Barnes, who has been with the Decatur party at Nukwango, Wis., returned home Sunday morning. Walter Strange and John Clugston arrived yesterday morning. W. C. Johns will come this morning. He was in Chicago yesterday, where Miss Belle Ewing will be for several days. Mrs. Albert Barnes, Miss Mollie Barnes, Miss Mary Voorhies, Miss Bell Burrows and L. Burrows, will join Mrs. F. J. Sedgwick at Petoskey, Mich., where she has been for several days.

A Noted Confederate.

Col. Lamar Fontaine, of Shaw, Miss., was in Decatur yesterday and went to Cerro Gordo to visit with Capt. Grason. They made each other's acquaintance during the war, while the former was in the Confederate service and the latter was in the Union army, and have been friends ever since. Col. Fontaine has been at Monticello to see Col. E. T. Lee. They are both greatly interested in the blue and the gray reunion at the World's fair in 1892.

Colonel Fontaine, is 63 years of age, and looks like a man of 40. He was in the Mexican war. He enlisted in 1861 in the Tenth Mississippi, was in the Eighteenth Mississippi, in the Second Virginia Cavalry and near the close of the war commanded the Fourth Confederate Regulars. During the war Col. Fontaine had his flesh broken 67 times by Federal bullets, and 13 went through his body. He was shot through the lungs from front to back once, and again through the side, the same bullet breaking both arms. At the battle of Chickamauga he was wounded in the right leg, and that member had to be amputated below the knee. During the siege of Vicksburg the colonel served as a scout and spy. Twice the Rebels ran out of caps for their guns at Vicksburg and twice Lamar went through the Federal lines and back again, each time bearing 120 pounds of caps which he got from the outside friends of the "Lost Cause." The Federal government each time offered a reward of $10,000 for the capture of Fontaine, but he was too sharp for the northern scouts and sharpshooters. He escaped apprehension and lived to lay down his arms.

Street Cars Moved.

Assistant Superintendent Holt, of the Illinois Central, was here yesterday from Amboy to see about the street car terminals at the depot. He came in pursuance to instructions from the Chicago office. His visit was possibly the result of the visits of Messrs. Mills and Starr to Chicago the last few weeks. They only smiled when asked if they were going on street car business. It seems that they had good reason for smiling. As a result of their interview with Superintendent Beck, the Short line gets considerably nearer to the trains. Hitherto the Citizens line cars have run to the end of their track, which extended out to a point north of the Short line terminus. Mr. Holt, Mr. Alexander and Mr. Ferguson had a conference yesterday on the ground, and it was agreed that the Citizens cars should be stopped about 10 feet further south. Now the Short line cars can run six or seven feet nearer the depot, and passengers going from the depot will be able to see the cars of one line as well as those of the other line. Before a Citizens line car just about hid the other line's cars.

Meat Charged

In Randall's grocery store on North Water street, a pile of meat caused considerable excitement Saturday afternoon. Miss Randall, who clerks in the store, took hold of a piece of bacon and was surprised at getting an electric shock that almost knocked her down. An examination showed that a telephone wire touched the pile of meat. The telephone wire had become crossed with a light wire on the outside and thus charged the whole pile of meat. Half a dozen men tried to pick up a piece of it, but only made one trial, and then they let go. The whole pile was offered to anyone who would carry it away. A few took the job, but soon gave it up. Finally the current had to be turned off on that circuit before the meat could be picked up. It was not damaged by the electricity.

Took Paris Green.

Mrs. A. J. Brown, at Waynesville, who has had bad health for a couple of years, concluded last Thursday evening to end it all by taking a teaspoonful and a half of paris green. When her husband came home from work for supper he saw that she was ill and at once summoned Dr. S. A. Graham. She suffered much, but did not seem to care very much about the result, though she once said to Dr. Graham that if she recovered she would not attempt it again, and hoped the Lord would forgive her this time. She died yesterday morning at 6 o'clock. She leaves a husband and a little boy and girl about half grown.

August Weather.

The Rev. Irl Hicks, the weather prognosticator, has fixed up the following schedule of weather for the latter half of August: Relief from the very hot days will come about the 17th. The 20th and 21st will renew the heat and result in thunder storms. The 26th and 27th are storm days, in which a crisis of high temperature will cross the country attended by storms and followed by cool weather.

Think They Will Locate.

B. A. Burrows, D. W. Yantis, E. R. Keefer, C. E. Britton, W. B. Hunter, and Messrs. Newcomer and Russell, all Moultrie county farmers, were here yesterday securing transportation to Tombstone, Minn., where they will examine the country and invest money in farm land. Charles Moore, our local ticket agent will accompany the party. They leave this morning.

Struck by Lightning.

The residence of Thomas Morgan on North Clinton street was struck by lightning Sunday afternoon during the storm. But little damage was done. A few shingles were torn off the roof, the lightning passing down the flue to the ground. The inmates were badly frightened, and soot was thrown all over the interior. That was the worst damage.

Death of Peter Head.

Peter Head, brother of Eugene and Charley Head, died Sunday night at his home in Toledo. He was a locomotive engineer, and for a while worked on the Wabash, running out of Decatur. Eugene Head left yesterday afternoon for Toledo and Charley Head left last night.

A Marriage License.

David Faust, of Todd's Point	36
Martilla Boyd, Dalton City	16

NEW FALL GOODS.

In Addition to our Great Clearing Sale of all Summer Goods at Greatly Reduced Prices, we will have on Sale our Early Fall Purchases of

New Fall Prints,
New Ginghams,
New Sateens,
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May deride us, but they can never get over the fact that we outdo them in business. Their solicitude for the people is something wonderful. They don't want the people to go to the great shoe house of

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Because they know that our connection with the great Chicago Wholesale house of J. L. Ferriss & Co., and our interest in important shoe factories enable us to own every line of goods very much cheaper than any other house in Decatur can own them. They know furthermore that when we advertise

BARGAINS, WE HAVE THEM

And they know that something out of the usual line must be done to keep the crowd from coming to our store. Meanwhile our great clearance sale of summer goods, including sample lots, continues. Meanwhile the people are getting the benefit of the bargain we offer. "The Public is not a Fool."

OUR -:- NEW -:- FALL -:- GOODS

Have commenced to arrive. We have for ladies extra fine cloth top button shoes, with patent tip; ladies' cloth top shoes, lace, with patent tip; ladies' hand welt button shoes with patent tip. All widths and sizes. No matter what you want in shoes we will discount any prices you are able to obtain in Decatur.

Ferriss & Lapham,

148 EAST MAIN ST.

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY.

Circuit court of Macon county, September term, A. D., 1891.

Dorr A. Kimball vs. Richard M. Tolladay, Sophia Tolladay, Mortimer A. Allen and Marshall Field, George G. Woodhouse, Harlow N. Higinbotham, Joseph N. Fields and John G. McWilliams, partners trading as Marshall Field & Co., Joseph Bohm, Samuel Fleishman and Harry H. Bohm, partners as Bohm Bros. & Co., and D. P. Erwin and Caroline M. Young and Joseph Heidelosch, Abraham Freidlander and Joseph Freidlander, partners as Heidelbach, Freidlander & Co., Erskin M. Phelps and George F. P. Dodge, partners trading as Phelps, Dodge & Palmer and Phelps, Dodge & Palmer Company, a corporation.

In chancery

Affidavit of the non-residence of Joseph Bohm, Samuel Fleishman, Harry H. Bohm, D. P. Erwin, Joseph Heidelbach, Abraham Freidlander and Joseph Freidlander: seven of the defendants above named, having been filed in the office of the clerk of said circuit court of Macon county, notice is hereby given to the said non-resident defendants, that the complainant heretofore filed his bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, which suit is still pending, and that a summons thereupon issues out of said court against said defendant, returnable on the 28th day of September, A. D., 1891, as is by law required.

Now, therefore, unless you, the said Joseph Bohm, Samuel Fleishman, Harry H. Bohm, D. P. Erwin, Joseph Heidelbach, Abraham Freidlander and Joseph Freidlander, shall personally be and appear before the said circuit court of Macon county, on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the court house, in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the 28th day of September, A. D., 1891, and plead, answer or demur to the said complainant's bill or complainant, the same, and the matters and things therein charged and stated, will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill. E. McCULLAN, Clerk.

I. D. WALKER, Complainant's Solicitor.

Aug. 1, 1891.

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Four fine farms of 85 to 160 acres, in Macon county, at $38 to $40 per acre.

Several good farms in Moultrie county, 160 to 320 acres $30 to $35 per acre.

Also several excellent farms in Shelby county, 160 to 355 acres, at $41 to $50 per acre.

And a splendid farm of 150 acres two and a half miles from a good railroad station, in Logan county, at $45 per acre; a great bargain.

Also city property for sale or exchange, in fact in all parts of the city; all improved, and ranging in prices from $750 up to $10,000. Some great bargains; easy terms.

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CREA & EWING, Attorneys at Law, No. 1 Powers's block.

BUCKINGHAM & SCHROLL, Lawyers, No. 205 South Park street.

DAVID HUTCHISON, Attorney at Law. Office in Powers' Block.

ALBERT G. WEBBER, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW. OFFICE OPPOSITE POSTOFFICE.

ALBERT T. SUMMERS, Attorney at Law No. 145 North Water Street. Loans and Collections. All classes of legal.

C. P. KENNEDY, M. D., C., DECATUR, ILL. Has moved his office over Schilling's drug store, East Eldorado street, where he can be found day and night. Telephone, No. 328.

HENRY F. STARBUCK, ARCHITECT, 18 and 19 Fenton Block. CHICAGO OFFICE,—Ashland Block.

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Beautiful Red Goat,

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All the Beautiful Oxfords in our store at Actual Cost.

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AS THE COOL WEATHER COMES ON. KEEP THEM OUT BY GETTING YOUR DOOR AND WINDOW SCREENS AT THE

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We are closing out all Summer Goods at cost. Summer millinery at half price.

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July, 31, 1891. : 148 E. Main st.

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143 North Water Street.

TABLE LINENS.

Our inventory shows our stock of fine table linens to be heavier than we would wish to see it. To cut it down to where it belongs we will make a deep cut in prices. This sale will be of interest to every housekeeper who admires fine linens. We have always sold linens below all competition, this sale will out rank all others.

Our 65c bleached damask, 50c a yard.
Our 75c bleached damask, 60c a yard.
Our $1 bleached damask, 75c a yard.
Our 65c cream damask, 50c a yard.
Our 75c cream damask, 60c a yard.
Our 87c cream damask, 65c a yard.
Our $1 cream damask, 75c a yard.

BOSTON STORE.

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143 N. Water St.

MORNING REVIEW

TUESDAY, AUGUST 18, 1891.

MATTERS OF FACT.

Chautauqua camp Aug. 20 30.

Drink Phos Ferrone at Irwin's pharmacy.

Hats and flowers at great discounts at Miss E. Williams. South Park street.

Mary T. Lathorp, the Webster of the W. C. T. U. movement, is coming.

You will find rare bargains in millinery during July at Miss E. Williams, south side city park.

The sleeping car fare Decatur to Niagara Falls on the T. H. & P. excursion Aug. 25, will be $3.50.

We have just received several cars of very choice hard coal. Come and select your coal. MACON COUNTY COAL CO.

E. L. Martin's Office, 628 North Main St.

Removed.

Julius Blackburn has moved his store from 146 North Franklin street to the building at 150 North Franklin, where he will keep constantly on hand a full line of feed and dressed poultry. He also keeps a full line of notions which you can buy at bottom prices. Give him a trial if you want to save money. Goods delivered to any part of the city. Dont forget the place.

JULIUS BLACKBURN.

150 North Franklin street.

Cement Walks and Ornamental Building Stone.

Call on E. L. Martin for estimates on side walk and foundation stone, also estimates given on stone trimmings. 628 North Main street, Decatur, Ill.

Two lfs.

IF you start out to buy groceries and other eatables you go to the place where you can get the best goods and the most of them for your money. This being the case, you will be interested in this advertisement, as it tells you where to go.

IF you will call at May & Churchman's you will find all you want in the way of groceries, and they are the best, at the lowest prices for which they can be sold. They make a specialty of fruits, fresh vegetable and choice fancy grocery. And it is acknowledged by all that they carry the finest lme in the city.

MAY & CHURCHMAN.

Telephone No. 1. North Water street.

BRICK MEN WIN.

PRAIRIE WILL SPORT A SHORT STREET PAVEMENT.

The Brick Men Win by a Vote of Seven to Six—Sewer Ordinances Passed—Gephart & Co. and Dempsey & Giblin Get Contracts—Appointments Made and Confirmed. W. H. Bailey Captain of Police.

The principal business that came up at the council meeting last night was the paving of Prairie Avenue. The asphalt men were knocked out of the box. They had a majority of the street frontage, but the brick people had a majority in the council. This is the thing that counts. When the brick men defeated the report of the committee in favor of asphalt, they pushed their advantage for all there was in it. A resolution was at once put through instructing the city clerk to advertise for bids for brick paving; also another instructing the city attorney to go ahead to get judgments. Scanlan gave notice that he would move a reconsideration, but by the time of the next meeting the brick program will be too far along to permit any recall.

All the aldermen except Head were present.

PETITIONS.

Citizens on North Water street petitioned that the trees in the sidewalk on the corner of Green and North Water streets be removed. The prayer was granted and the street superintendent ordered to remove the trees.

A. J. Stoner and others asked permission to build, at their own expense, an eight inch sewer in the alley running north and south first west of North Main street, from King to Marietta streets. The city was asked to lay a sewer from the eastern limit of the King street branch of the Union street sewer east on King street. The prayer was granted.

George A. Henderson and others asked that the alley between Eldorado and North streets be provided with an eight inch lateral sewer from Calhoun to Jasper streets. Referred.

L. M. Lee was granted permission to sell liquors for medicinal purposes.

ORDINANCES PASSED.

The ordinance providing for the construction of a sewer in the alley between North Union and North Church streets from King street to the Wabash railroad was passed. The total cost was estimated at $545 38.

An ordinance for the construction of an eight inch lateral sewer in the alley between East William and East Prairie streets from the Broadway street sewer to Jackson street was passed. The total cost was put at $425.00.

The ordinance providing for the paving of the alley between North Main and North Water streets from North to Eldorado streets was passed unanimously.

The ordinance relating to holding building contractors and sewer and water main tappers within bounds was read the second time. Cope didn't appreciate the ordinance as he thought it was segere on builders. The mayor had objection to the ordinance because it required the excavations to be filled with gravel. Scanlan thought the gravel should be used only on paved streets. The mayor wanted to know what was the use of filling all of a 12 foot cut with gravel. Scanlan said it was to avoid depressions. Scanlan said there was immediate need of the ordinance to make the building contractors take proper care of the streets. McDonald made a speech saying that it is not intended to enforce the gravel filling part of the ordinance on streets not paved, or not about to be paved. Scanlan wanted no ordinance that it was not intended to enforce. McDonald grabbed the ordinance for the purpose of amending it. He took some of the gravel out of his ordinance and then it was passed. Cope alone voted nay.

ACCEPTS THE OFFER.

The committee to which was referred the matter of widening North Water street sidewalk between North and Cerro Gordo streets in consideration of deeds for six feet of ground, reported that the sidewalks be laid. There was some contest about the matter. The report was adopted by a vote of 9 to 4. Hubert, May, Scanlan and Watkins voted nay on the proposition.

FURTHER SETTLEMENT WITH HUNT.

The finance committee reported in the matter of settlement with P. H. Hunt for Union street sewer found that there is further due him $257.85 interest on deferred payments, and $264.69 interest collected on special assessments.

MORE SIDEWALKS.

An ordinance was read for the first time in relation to the following sidewalks:

A five-foot brick walk east side of North Monroe from King to Marietta;

Same kind of walk on east side of North Water from Division to Center streets;

Same kind of walk on west side of South Broadway from Decatur to Gault streets;

Same kind of walk on east side of Morgan from Condit to Herkimer streets.

This ordinance went over.

ASPHALT KNOCKED OUT.

The report on the paving of West Prairie street next came up. Scanlan moved that the blank before the width of the pavement be filled in to read "40 feet." This was carried. Next the adoption of the report came up. J. M. Clokey asked permission to say a few words. He presented a letter from W. R. Scruggs saying that he was strongly in favor of brick, that he had seen some asphalt pavement that did poorly. O. B. Gorin was quoted as being strongly in favor of asphalt for a 50 foot lot at 328 Prairie street. Clokey then said the council now proposed to put down a 40 foot pavement when the asphalt people signed with the understanding that the pavement should be 36 feet wide; he thought this was a material alteration.

Scanlan said that his position at the start was that brick was the best all-round pavement, but that he would vote for what the majority wanted. He would not vote for less than a 40 foot pavement, especially on Prairie street, where the property owners are well able to pay. It is time to settle this matter; there has been too much time taken up about paving this street.

Hubert said that the public improvement committee certainly thought it found a majority of frontage for asphalt before the report was made. The committee made an honest report, doing the best it could to find the real situation. Clokey did not want to be understood as questioning the honesty of the committee's report.

The roll was called on the adoption of the report. The report was lost by a vote of 6 to 7. Scanlan changed his vote to nay for the purpose of moving a reconsideration at the next meeting. The vote as announced was 5 ayes, 8 nays. Ayes: Hubert, Montgomery, Bartholomew, Watkins and Delaney. Nays: May, Cope, Parl, Seeforth, Ferguson, Scanlan, Dietz and Hall.

BIDS OPENED.

Bids for construction of the East Marietta street sewer were opened. They were as follows: H. F. Gephart & Co. $11.00; H. Mueller & Sons, $1.20 per foot; Fuller and Tuttle, $1.18 per foot. H. F. Gephart & Co. got the contract.

Bids for paving East Eldorado street were read as follows: Shumaker & Gogerty, $1.32 per square yard; J. F. Mattes, $1.34 yer square yard; Dempsey & Giblin, $1.25 per square yard; J. G. Shea, $1.25 per square yard with some conditions reserved, such as the right to build next spring. Dempsey & Giblin got the contract.

A resolution instructing the clerk to advertise for bids for paving West Prairie street was introduced by Ferguson. McDonald wanted to know if there was an estimate for this paving. The estimate was found and then the resolution carried.

JUDGMENTS TO BE SATISFIED.

A resolution was adopted providing that the judgments against the city for the extension of South Franklin street be satisfied at once. It has been done in part.

HERE IS YOUR JUNKET.

The Riverside Boat Co. invited the council to take a trip to the water works at 5 o'clock this afternoon. It was accepted.

WANTS TO PUT OUT THE LIGHT.

Scanlan introduced a resolution to remove the electric light tower from Lincoln square. It was referred.

BEWARE OF THE CARS.

A resolution was adopted requiring motormen on street cars, before crossing a railroad where there is no flagman, to get off and see that the way is clear.

The fire commissioners were requested to have a test of the steamer some time soon.

APPOINTMENTS.

The mayor made the following appointments, all of which were unanimously confirmed. Captain of Police, W. H. Bailey; Policemen, Peter J. Dempsey; Oil Inspector, Capt. I. N. Martin; Pound Master, W. H. Lake.

Then followed a wrangle about the pound master. Did he conflict with the officer of the same name elected by the township?

GIVE UP THE FEES.

A resolution authorizing the city attorney to prepare an ordinance repealing the ordinance allowing fees for convictions was adopted.

AN ORDER NECESSARY.

A resolution requiring all purchases to be accompanied by an order from the purchasing committee was adopted.

DEATHS.

Aleni Salma.

Aleni Malrvine Salma, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Rosteck, died at their home 1374 North Morgan street, on Sunday at 2:30 p. m. of cholera infantum. Age 11 months and 20 days. The funeral will take place today from the family residence. Rev. W. H. Lessman will conduct the services.

Mrs. Henry Piper.

Mrs. Piper, wife of Henry Piper, died Sunday at the family residence, eight miles southwest of Decatur. Age 30 years. The funeral was held yesterday from Salem church. Rev. W. H. Lessman conducted the services. The interment was at Salem church cemetary.

Wanted—A House to Rent.

A house to rent in Decatur is as hard to find as a fly in December. Harder in fact, because there are literally none at all. Many people are around whole days at a time hunting for any kind of a house, but without success. One agent has 60 tenant houses, and not one has been vacant inside of 60 days. As soon as a tenant moves, he has a choice of two or three families who want to move in. All his houses are rented one to two months ahead. New houses are being built all over town as fast as the carpenters can build them, but that does not seem to make any difference. As soon as one is occupied, a dozen or more people try to get the house that was vacated. A gentleman came here last week to get a house. He was not particular about the kind or the location. He looked four days, then bought a lot and will build. Large houses in good locations are rented months before they become vacant.

It is this earnest demand for houses that gives color to the report that a syndicate of Chicago capitalists is going to buy the Shelley tract north of town and invest $25,000 in building houses for rent. There is such a demand for houses that it is likely outside capitalists will take an opportunity to put their money in a good place. One real estate dealer said yesterday he did not see how it was that capital has not been largely invested here in that way before this time, even. The city has a reputation all over the state as being the liveliest, and as growing the most rapidly.

Had a Fair of His Own.

Emil Young left last night for the Monticello fair. He took along things enough to make a good fair of his own. There were 150 different animals and fowls. In the collection were four mastiffs, two pugs, three spaniels, Silver Wyandottes, White Wyandottes, Black Javas, Partridge Cochins, Langshans, White Plymouth Rocks, Barred Plymouth Rocks, White Brahmas, Dark Brahmas, Brown Leghorns, Redcombed White Leghorns, game bantams, Singlecombed White Leghorns, Buff Cochins, Toulouse geese, Pekin ducks, Rouen ducks, White Crested Ducks, and White turkeys. Of the folws there are breeding pens of some and only pairs of others.

Gorgeous "Kajanka."

Everything that the management has claimed for Kajanka this year is true. It will be seen at the Grand on Friday, Aug. 21. While the main features of the production are the same, the details, to use a nautical phrase, have received a general and thorough overhauling. In the interval that has elapsed between its present and past presentation here, a big amount of money has been expended upon it and a considerable portion of it has gone into the salary list. This now comprises some of the very best specialties of two continents.

Killed in Colorado.

Mrs. Bridget McKillop, a widow living at 985 East North street, was almost prostrated Sunday by receiving the intelligence that her son Charles H. McKillop had been killed in a collision near Brighton, Col. He was a brakeman on the Union Pacific. A regular freight train was standing on a curve. An extra freight dashed around the curve and into the caboose. McKillop was in the caboose and was instantly killed. He used to work on the Wabash, running out of Decatur. He has been in the west only six or seven months. The body was ordered sent to Decatur, and is expected to arrive Weddesday.

Born.

To Mr. and Mrs. Fred Miller, 457 North Monroe street, on Monday, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Ellis M. Reece, on South Green street, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. James Lee, 304 Condit street, a son.

STRAY SCRAPS.

John Imboden was in Moweaqua yesterday on business.

Master Charlie Imboden is visiting friends in Moweaqua.

The Hermann Dramatic company is playing at Macon this week.

David White, of Decatur, has moved to Chicago to learn the plumber's trade.

W. H. Parrish sold his dray line to Mont Search who will continue the business.

An Eastern Star picnic arranged for yesterday at Riverside park, was postponed.

A Congregational sociable set for tonight has been postponed on account of the rain.

Inspector Wiley inspected one car of oats, one of wheat and five cars of corn yesterday.

Mrs. Samuel Troutman, of Bearsdale was here last night enroute for Harrisburg, Pa., to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Brintlinger, of Columbus, O., are here visiting D. Brintlinger and family.

Eunice Goodrich and a good dramatic company will play at the Grand Opera House during the race week.

Charles F. Brown, was here yesterday representing Gorman's minstrols. They will be here Aug. 26.

Miss Etta Morgan returned last night from Springfield where she has been visiting relatives and friends.

Daniel Foust, of Todd's Point, and Miss Martilla Boyd, of Dalton, were married yesterday by Justice Hammer.

George W. Ebrhart and Ed Leech left last night for New York. They will transact business and see the metropolis.

John A. Reeve, of Chicago, has rented the Carter store room on Lincoln square and will start an undertaking business.

E. B. Brown, who was hooked in the eye by a cow, is much better, and in a few days will resume his work as mail messenger.

Twelve members of Goodman's band will go to Monticello this morning to furnish music for the fair which is held there this week.

Frank Zercher, of Monticello, has purchased the Woolington hotel of Henry Woolington, and will take possession Sept. 1.

The funeral of Peter McGinity from the residence on East Eldorado Sunday was largely attended. There were 25 or 30 carriages.

The citizens of Macon held a public meeting and instructed the council to ascertain as soon as possible the cost of water works sufficient for the town.

J. P. Smallwood's horse Aloha is entered in a special $10,000 race at Chicago for next Saturday. Tenney, Virged Or, and a number of other good horses are in the race.

Hon. A. Haynie and family, of Clinton, Mo., were here yesterday visiting Hon. W. F. Calhoun. They are on their way home from Detroit where they attended the G. A. R. encampment.

The Keister wagon yard on East Prairie street, run by A. Howland & Son, is to be covered over. Lumber is now being hauled to the ground for the purpose. The cost will be about $2,500.

Harry Chamberlain, of Arcola, was found by Officer Meehan on a pile of lumber Sunday night, drunk. He was taken to Short street station where he gave a bond of $7 to appear for trial yesterday.

Miss Mina Thompson has resigned her position as head operator at the Telephone exchange to accept a position in Anthony & Webb's new store. Miss Libbie Martin has been promoted to be head operator.

The Turners will have a big picnic at their park next Sunday afternoon. Goodman's band will be there and two classes will give exhibitions of turning. Only Turners and their families will be admitted.

C. F. Churchman shipped a pair of fine Langshans to Perkins Bros., of Ames, Ia., yesterday. They are less than a year old, but they will be exhibited in the Iowa State fair this month and are expected to take a prize.

Lester Wyman, who has been the guest of C. A. Ewing and family for some weeks, departed yesterday for his home in Bloomington, accompanied by Thordie Ewing, who will be his guest at a camping party this week.

Champaign News: Harry Shlaudeman, of Decatur, was a guest of the family of A. B. Baker a few days this weeek. He came over to find a boarding place for his sister, who will attend the University next year.

The body of a baby was found by section men Saturday at Lodge. It was on the Wabash right of way. From appearances it was concluded that some woman had given birth to the child in the closet of a car on a train and then thrown it out the window.

Four Danville street car men are running on the Citizens line for the purpose of learning the business. Danville is to have a Thomson-Houston system in operation about Sept. 1 and the company will have some experienced men to go to work. Decatur started its lines without anything of that kind.

A woman giving her name as Mrs. Lewis Freeblatzer, of St. Louis, with three grown girls and two small boys, got off the 10 o'clock train Sunday night. The woman told Officer May a pitiful tale about her husband being dead and their property under mortgage and foreclosed. That left them homeless. She was trying to make her way with her children to Chicago, where she had friends who had written her to come there. She said she did not have money enough to take her to Chicago, but did not want to let her friends in Chicago know about it. Officer May raised money about the depot to help the people to Monticello.

Beat His Wife.

Asa F. Sackett, who has been the nominal head of the City Hotel on West Main street for a year, is in the Franklin street station charged with beating his wife. His wife has been the real head of the business and has done all the work, because Asa has been drunk most of the time. Yesterday he slapped his wife, knocked her down and kicked at her, though he did not strike her when he tried to kick her. Neighbors made complaint to Marshal Mason and he arrested Sackett.

Stole Two Watermelons.

E. A. McKenzie appeared before Justice Curtis yesterday and swore out warrants for William and Bert Dayman, Frank McCormick and Allie Jones. They are charged with the larceny of two watermelons. Besides that, though, Mr. McKenzie says they went in his patch across the river and destroyed a wagon load of the finest watermelons he had, besides pumpkins and squashes. The boys will be tried tomorrow.

Oakland Park.

A fair sized audience witnessed the third production of "Original Sin," at the park last night. Tonight the ideals will present a three act farce comedy, "A Complicated Case."

TRACK AND TRAIN.

Conductor A. E. Hughes, of the Wabash, is laying off and Will Jones is running his car.

Ed Marsh, for some time a switchman in the T. H. & P. yards, is now braking on trains 4 and 5.

BASEBALL YESTERDAY.

LEAGUE.

Pittsburg, 1; Chicago, 2.
Philadelphia, 8; Brooklyn, 4.
New York, 0; Boston, 3;
Cincinnati, 3; Cleveland, 2.

ASSOCIATION.

Columbus, 7; Louisville, 11.
Philadelphia, 8; Washington, 9.
Baltimore, 3; Boston, 9.
Cincinnati-St. Louis. Rain.

SWIFT TOMMY LEE.

He Can Sprint, Jump and Put the Shot in Clever Style.

A familiar figure at athletic meets anywhere near New York is a very dark young man with a ready smile, who has a joke with every one on the field before the day is over. But before the day is over, too, this young man, whose name is Thomas I. L. Lee (or Tommy Lee, as every one calls him), usually proves himself no joking mutter to the athletes he meets in competition. Lee's physical statistics are: Age, twenty; weight, 145 pounds; good nature, 250 pounds; height, 5 ft. 10½ in. He has been working hard in athletics about two years and has made quite a name for himself as an all round man. As a sprinter he has frequently covered 100 yards in the fast time of 10 1-5 seconds, and on June 28, 1890 he defeated that famous sprinter Mortimer Remington at the eastern championship of the A. A. U. The same day he added to his laurels by doing 220 yards in 22 2-5 seconds, defeating such cracks as Westing, Remington and Downs.

TOMMY LEE.

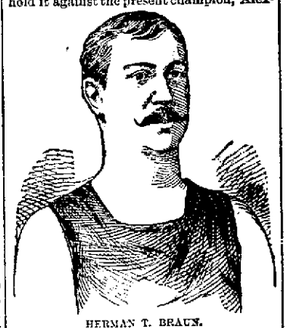
Few sprinters can put the shot, but Lee has a record of 32 ft. 8 in., made at the Park A. C., in June, 1890. As a high jumper he has cleared 5 ft. 6 in., and in the running broad jump his best performance is 21 ft. 6½ in. He is a member of the New York Athletic club and claims to be the originator of the kneeling start used by some fast sprinters. Lee has made good use of this novel method of getting away when the pistol is fired, and has the reputation of being the quickest starter in the sprinting business, except John Owen, Jr., of Detroit.

HERMAN T. BRAUN.

He Is One of the Swiftest Swimmers in America.

Dr. Herman T. Braun, of the New York Swimming club and the New York Athletic club, has repeatedly proved himself to be one of the swiftest swimmers in America. He is a powerful long distance man, but his forte is sprinting in the water. For several years he was undisputed amateur champion in the waters near New York. Prizes, medals and championships all came his way. He won the American championship at 100 yards in 1885 and held it four years, until the present champion, William C. Johnson, appeared in the watery arena in 1889 and wrested the honors away. Braun's best time for 100 yards was 1m. 16 1-5s., but Johnson, who is a natatorial marvel, developed a speed of 1m. 5 1-5s.

Braun also won the one mile championship of America in 1889, but was unable to hold it against the present champion, Alexander T. Meffert. Braun's best time for the mile was 28m. 57s. This was very fast time, but Meffert has reduced it to 22m. 39 2-5s. While in Vienna two years ago Braun surprised the natives by easily winning the 294 meter race and the obstacle race. His prowess frightened all the Viennese swimmers out of the four mile race in the Danube. Braun, however, went over the course alone, but the officials would not give him the prize. At present Braun weighs 212 pounds, but he is still ready to meet all comers in the amateur ranks.



HERMAN T. BRAUN.

DRAMATIC NOTES.

It is rumored that W. J. Florence and Sol Smith Russell will attempt a theatrical role together the season after next.

The Archduchess Marie Valerie has written a play called "Ein Goldstuck," which will be performed ere long at Graz.

"I'm a bad man, and when I wauts cold weather I bites a piece out o' the sun. I eats kids, and I likes 'em best raw," is one of the speeches in "The Limited Mail," a melodrama.

J. K. Emmet used to have cigars made for him which were eight inches long and half an inch thick.

Rose Coghlan will have to ride horseback like a man in her new play, "Dorothy's Dilemma."

Aunt Louisa Eldridge says she has been on the stage forty-two years.

Lawrence Barrett was the only actor ever admitted to the Union League club in New York. General Sherman was his sponsor.

Harry James Halliday, a well known actor, was married to Miss Florence Ethel Gibbons in the state camp of the Seventh regiment, N. G. S. N. Y., at the state camp at Peekskill. He said he chose a military camp for his marriage because he was born in one.

Brooklyn will have twelve theaters next season.

Harrigan's play, "Reilly and the 400," ran for 202 nights in New York.

Owns a Sixteenth of Costa Rica.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—According to advices received by the bureau of American republics, the government of Costa Rica has granted to Minor C. Keith, the famous contractor, one-sixteenth of the national territory, the concession amounting to 800,000 acres. Mr. Keith's contract with the government for the construction of a suspension bridge over Reventazon river has just been approved.

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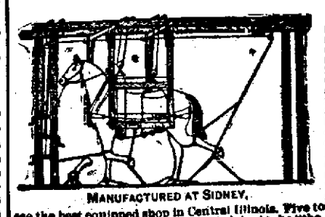

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